THE WEATHER.

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HOUSE IN FAVOR OF NEW MEMBERS

Measure Providing Increase in Number Passed After Fight on Floor Yesterday.

AMENDMENTS WERE PROPOSED

Provides for 433 Members Instead of 391 Made Possible by Recent Census—Similar to Crum packer Bill.

Washington, April 27.—A bill providing for the enlargement of the National House of Repreesntatives from 391 to 433 members, and the apportionment of these members to the different States on the difference population showed by the recent Federal census passed the House early this evening after a vain effort of members of both political parties to amend it in important particulars.

The proposed size of the House is identical with that provided for in the Crumpacker bill passed by the House at the last session of Congress, but not acted upon by the Senate. The Houston bill, passed today, leaves to the Legislatures of the different States the power to re-arrange the Congressional districts in their respective States, on the new population basis of one member for each 211,877 of inhabitants.

The two important amendments proposed today, and defeated after lengthy debate were to put the re-districting power in the hands of the governors of States, when the Legislatures had failed to act; and to limit the House in the future to a membership of 430 or 433, leaving future re-apportionments to the Secretary of the Department of Commerce and Labor.

Bith of these amendments were vigorously championed by the Republicans, and with some Democratic support. Mr. Sherley, of Kentucky, first offered the "Crumpacker amendment," as it was known, to restrict the size of the House to 430 in the future; and later Mr. Crumpacker submitted it again, as a part of a formal motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Census to have the amendment put into it. On a record vote on this motion, the Democrats voted it down 178 to 99.

Th amendment offered earlier by Mr. Crumpacker, formerly the Republican chairman of the Committee on Census which has charge of the reapportionment subject, to give the governors of States power to carry out the rearrangement of Congressional districts, was declared by Mr. Hamlin, of Missouri, Democrat, to be a deliberate effort of Republican politicians of Missouri to give the Republican governor of that State power to make up the new districts, so that Republican districts might be constructed by "Gerrymandering methods."

Mr. Hamlin declared that with the Crumpacker amendment as a part of the bill, the Republican governor of Missouri could veto the reapportionment made by the Democratic Legislature, and could then carry out the reapportionment himself. Mr. Bartholdt, Republican, also from Missouri, challenged this statement, and asserted that the last Democratic Legislature that reapportioned the Congressional districts of Missouri had violated the Federal statutes by making the districts of greatly varying size.

The increase of the size of the House was agreed to by members of both parties; but many Republicans attacked it on the ground that it would make the House more unwieldy. Insurgent Republicans were particularly vigorous in opposing the increase, declaring that if it were not for the Democrats of those States, that would otherwise lose members, there would be a general sentiment in favor of keeping the membership at the present size of 391.

Sensation in the House.

Washington, April 27.—A sensation was sprung in the House today when Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, introduced resolutions of inquiry in response to a charge by Representative Difenderfer, of Pennsylvania, that money and influence were being used to give an Eastern manufacturing concern a monopoly in the contracts for shoes, for the army and navy. Mr. Difenderfer said he could prove his assertion and as a result Mr. Gardner called upon the Secretary of War and Secretary of the Navy for all possible information concerning the shoe contracts.

Mr. Difenderfer interrupted Mr. Gardner in his speech on the free list bill yesterday while discussing government contract prices for army shoes.

"Is it not a fact," he asked, "that Hermann & Company, of Boston, absolutely control, after freezing out every other competitor in the United States, the manufacture of shoes for the army and navy of the United States?"

Mr. Gardner replied that he had never heard of such a firm.

"I shall be at liberty then in the near future," said Mr. Difenderfer in response, "to show to the gentleman that they have absolute control of the shoes manufactured in the country for

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DEATH RATHER THAN YIELD

Small Force of Federals in Mexico Also Annihilated by Rebels—Rash Action of Young Lieutenant.

Mexico City, April 27.—Refusing to surrender or to leave the train of which he and his command of 30 soldiers were being brought to the capital, a second lieutenant, little more than a boy, yesterday engaged in a battle with a force of 400 rebels at Cajones, Guerrero. At the conclusion of the brief encounter the lieutenant and 28 of the soldiers were dead, and the remaining two of his men were made prisoners. One of the arms of the lieutenant was shot away.

The rebels were under command of Prudencio Fuegerio. Learning that troops were being carried on the Cuernava division of the National Railway, the rebel leader marched to Cajones, some distance from Cuernavaca. When the train stopped, he sent forward a messenger to demand the surrender of the troops and a request, if they would not surrender, to abandon the train in order that the lives of the passengers be not endangered.

Fresh from the school of Aspirantes a military training school, the boyish officer sent back word that he had his orders to continue on that train. Little time was lost in beginning the fight. The rebels poured down the embankment on either side of the train, and the shooting was begun by both sides.

Passengers who had been imploring the young officer to yield, were in a panic. The cries of women and children were heard in the rattle of the rifles and the shots from the rebels raked the sides of the train. Many bullets entered the coaches occupied by passengers. Only one, however, did any passenger damage.

That one killed Luis Bustamente, a civil engineer on his way to the capital to be married. Bustamente was kneeling beside a frightened little girl passenger attempting to comfort her.

At no time during the engagement did the Federals betray signs of cowardice. With the blood of their companions running from the doors of the little second-class coach, the men coolly fired into the ranks of their assailants until only two remained.

For Peace Commissioners.

El Paso, Texas, April 27.—When the official peace commissioners, who have not yet been named, get together here, it is very probable that there will be at least one difficult matter left for them to settle, if they can, and that is the length of time President Diaz is to retain his seat after hostilities cease.

Gen. Madero at first proclaimed that Diaz must resign at once, but with the coming of members of his family and the arguments they advanced, he changed front sufficiently to state that he would not insist on the President's immediate retirement.

It is known that privately, however, he informed members of his family that neither he nor his under officers could consent to the President filling out his present term, which has yet five years to run.

All efforts to learn Madero's idea as to how long the President should be allowed to remain in power in order to prevent disorder and possible anarchy, have been unavailing. He assents to the proposition that Diaz should remain at the helm until complete tranquility has been restored, but holds to the view that following the signing of peace articles, a specific period should be agreed upon for the President to accomplish what is expected of him and that he should then retire to private life. Therein lies the seed of possible failure of the negotiations.

For publication, the peace advocates here declare that peace is assured, but efforts to get any definite statement in crucial points of President Diaz's future tenure meet silence or evasion.

The dispatch, stating that Gen. Bernardo Reyes has started for Mexico, was received with gloom in the insurrecto camp. Foreboding was expressed that the old enmity between Limantour and Reyes would burst forth again and that the new-comer would in some way seek to modify the concessions which Limantour is willing to make.

Rebels Meet Defeat.

Washington, April 27.—A severe defeat of the rebels in the State of Tobasco, Mexico, has created the general belief that the revolution in that State has been crushed, telegraphed American consul Lespinasse, at Frontera, to the State Department today. The consul says the Federal troops are pursuing the defeated insurrectos; quantities of ammunition and arms and nine small cannon fell into the hands of the Federals. The Federal loss was ten killed and 23 wounded.

No Americans in Tabasco have been molested, so far as the department has been advised.

Peace Not Yet Assured.

New Orleans, April 27.—Peace in Mexico cannot be assured for any length of time until a definite agreement is drafted satisfactory not only to those revolutionists directly controlled by Francisco I. Madero in the State of Chihuahua, but to the rebel factions in the Western, Central and Southern parts of the Republic. This was the substance of a statement issued today by Dr. Vasquez Gomez, diplomatic agent of the revolutionists in the United States, as he stopped here en route to the camp of Madero, near Juarez, Mexico.

Senor Pino Suarez, provisional governor of the State of Yucatan, who joined Dr. Gomez on his journey to Juarez, seconded the latter's views. Tomorrow they will meet Senor Car-

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THE ONLY CHANCE FOR RECIPROCITY

Taft Tells Publishers Agreement Must be Adopted Now or Never.

PRESIDENT WARMLY CHEERED

Declares Reciprocity Must Stand or Fall by Its Own Terms—Before Editors and Newspaper Owners—His Address.

New York, April 27.—Reciprocity with Canada must be adopted now or never, and must stand or fall by its own terms. So declared President Taft in an address at the Waldorf-Astoria tonight at the fourth annual joint banquet of the Associated Press and the American Newspaper Publishers' Association.

His address was the first of a series in which he plans to evoke public sentiment in support of his policies, and he appealed to the company of editors and newspaper owners, gathered from all parts of the land, to impress in the public mind that reciprocity should stand alone, and "ought not to be affected in any regard by other amendments to the tariff law." His recommendations were warmly cheered.

Other speakers were Manuel DeZamacona, Mexican ambassador to the United States, who urged intelligent and deliberate consideration of the forces that have shaped the present insurrection; William Barton Northrup, King's counsel, and a member of the Dominion Parliament, who analyzed Canadian sentiment with reference to reciprocity; Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University, and J. F. Mackay, president of the Canadian Press, limited.

Oswald Garrison Villard, proprietor of the New York Evening Post, in introducing the President, praised Mr. Taft for his absention from the "shorter and uglier word," in his characterization of those who differed with him, and lauded his charity and judgment and advocacy of international peace. He then proposed the health of the President and Mrs. Taft, who was in the galleries, and the toast was drunk standing.

Talks About Reciprocity.

President Taft devoted most of his address to the Canadian reciprocity agreement.

The President contended that the reason why meats were not put on the free list was because Canada felt that the "competition of our packers would injuriously affect the products of their packing houses."

"If that be true," he asked, "how would it help our consumer or lower the price of meat in our markets, if we let their meat in free, while they retained a duty on our meat?

"The same is true of flour. And yet gentlemen insist that the farmer has been unjustly treated, because we haven't put Canadian flour and meat on the free list. And it is proposed to satisfy the supposed grievance of the farmers by now doing so without any compensating concession from Canada. This proposal would be legislation passed for political platform uses, without accomplishing any real good.

"There are two objections to inserting in the bill confirming this Canadian contract additions to our free list from Canada. The first is that they are a concession that is of no value to those whom it is proposed to propitiate by adopting it, and the second is, that it may involve us indirectly in a doubtful obligation in respect to trade with other countries. If we desire to put meat and flour and other commodities on the free list for the entire world, we can do it with our eyes open and with a knowledge of what it entails, after an investigation, but to put such a provision in a Canadian treaty, and then have it operate as a free list for the entire world is legislation necessarily ill-considered.

"These proposed grautious concessions are in the nature of an admission that in some way or other, we have done an injury to a particunlar class by this Canadian reciprocity agreement. I deny it. It is said that it injuries the farmers. I deny it. The effect of the agreement the President said, is not going to lower the specific prices of agricultural products in our country. It is going to steady them, and it is going to produce an interchange of products at a profit which will be beneficial to both countries.

Why Farmers Fear It.

"I am quite aware that from one motive or another a great deal of effort and money have been spent in sending circulars to farmers to convince them that this Canadian treaty if adopted, will do them injury. I do not know that it is possible to allay such fears by argument, pending the consideration of the treaty by the Senate. But there is one way—and that a conclusive way—of demonstrating the fallacy and unfounded character of their fears to the farmers, or any other class that believes itself to be unjustly affected by this treaty, and that is to try it on. There is no obligation on either nation to continue the reciprocity arrangement any longer than it desires, and if it

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STATE BUILDING COMMISSION

Personnel Announced Yesterday by Governor Kitchin.—Ex-Mayor Springer, of Wilmington, One of Number.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 27.—The personnel of the Building Commission for the location and erection of the $250,000 fire-proof State administration building was announced today as just completed by Governor Kitchin. Its members are Ashley Horne, Clayton; J. S. Carr, Durham; J. A. Long, Roxboro; J. Elwood Cox, High Point; A. S. Rascoe, Windsor; W. L. Parsons, Rockingham, and W. E. Springer, Wilmington.

The Commissioners are to arrange as speedily as possible for a meeting to organize by the election of a chairman and secretary. It is expected that Col. Horne or Gen. Carr will be chairman with W. E. Springer most probably as secretary.

The State officers are exceedingly anxious for the actual work on the building to get under way with the least possible delay. The building is expected to be at the southwest corner of Capitol Square where the State now owns the corner lot and will have to buy the Woman's Club building and a residence adjacent to the Raney library building for the necessary grounds for the building.

The announcement by the Governor of the appointments to the commission have been held up until this afternoon because not all the acceptances were in hand. The last of those received was from Mr. Springer, of New Hanover, whom the Governor wired today as follows: "I hereby tender you appointment on the commission created by last Legislature to erect a State building in tnis city. I hope you can accept. If you can, please wire me as I wish to announce the appointments without delay. Answer."

Mr. Springer's acceptance was received this afternoon in the following telegram:

"Wilmington, N. C., April 27th.

"Governor W. W Kitchin, Raleigh, N. C.

"I accept the appointment as one of the State Building Commissioners tendered me this day by you. I wish to thank you for your confidence and will give my best efforts and ability to the work. "WM. E. SPRINGER."

CHINAMAN GETS THROUGH.

Lem Thung, or Sam Lee, Wilmington Chink, Won't be Deported.

New York, April 27.—A precedent which may be interpreted to lead to liberalization of the Chinese exclusion laws, has been established by the Department of Commerce and Labor in the case of Lem Thung, a wealthy Chinaman of Wilmington, N. C.

Thung has been held at Boston where the immigration authorities found he was attempting to re-enter this country with irregular papers. Secretary Nagel has ruled to admit him as a merchant. Several Congressmen made representations in his behalf.

The record in the department shows that Thung, who is a stockholder of a National Bank in Wilmington, the owner of a large laundry, and a valuable farm, had a New York Chinaman arrange credentials for his re-entry to the United States after a visit to China. He could have claimed the right to re-entry as a returning laborer.

Heretofore the department has declined to recognize laundrymen, farmers and the like as merchants.

BISHOPS AT RICHMOND.

Board of Church Extension of Methodist Church Meets.

Richmond, Va., April 27.—Twenty-four bishops of the M. E. Church, South, were present at the opening here today of the annual meeting of the Board of Church Extension. The entire morning was taken up with reports on the year's work.

At the evening session of the conference tender tributes were paid to the memory of Bishop J. C. Granberry by Bishop A. W. Wilson, of Baltimore, and Bishop E. R. Hendrix, of Kansas City.

OUTLINES.

The House yesterday passed the measure providing for an increase in the membership of that body from 391 to 433. The bill is similar to the one passed by the last session of Congress ——The factional differences between the Republican members of the Senate will be fought out in the open today. Democratic senators at a caucus yesterday made their committee appointments——The French government yesterday ordered troops to intervene to re-establish order at Fez in Morocco——President Taft in his address yesterday to the American Publishers' Association in New York declared that the reciprocity agreement must be adopted now or never ——A fight in Mexico yesterday between a small body of Federals, led by a boy lieutenant, and a detachment of rebels, resulted in almost annihilating the former force.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2 1-4, offered at 2 3-8; spot cotton closed quiet 10 points lower, middling uplands 15.25, middling gulf 15.50; flour steady with a moderate local trade; wheat irregular No. 2 red 93 3-4 fob afloat; corn seeady export No. 2 new 59 1-2 nominal fob afloat; oats easy, standard white 38 3-4; turpentine easy, machine barrels 78.

UNION MEN READY TO MAKE A FIGHT

"Harry Orchard Problem" to be Dealt With is Claim of the Defense.

CASE IS ATTRACTING INTEREST

Attorneys Will Turn Legal Fire on Confessed Dynamiter—Affairs Discussed at Indianapolis Meeting—Details.

Los Angeles, Cal., April 27. — The defense of the alleged dynamite conspirators will be conducted henceforth on the theory that there is a "Harry Orchard problem" to be dealt with.

This was the statement made tonight by counsel of John J. McNamara, secretary of the International Bridge & Structural Iron Workers' Association, and his brother, James, who are charged with complicity in the Times' explosion.

The two McNamaras are now the only clients attorneys retained by labor organizations, and their legal fire will be turned on Ortie McManigal, the man arrested as a fellow conspirator.

McManigal, about whose alleged confession much has been said, was examined for three hours today by District Attorney Fredericks.

Attorney O. N. Hilton, chief counsel of the Western Federation of Miners, said he was convinced that McManigal made sworn statements today purporting to fix the guilt of the Times' explosion and other dynamite outrages.

"I knew that there was to be a confession," said Hilton, "as soon as I talked with McManigal. He said he would not engage an attorney until he had seen Burns, the man who arrested him. Then, in the presence of competent witnesses, I asked McManigal the direct question whether he had ever made a purported confession or expected to make one. He answered that he had not and would not. Twenty minutes later he was in the District Attorney's office. I made it a point to see McManigal first. Now, if an alleged confession is presented in court, we will be in a position to present to the jury a denial."

When asked whether McManigal had exacted freedom as the price of turning State's evidence, District Attorney Fredericks replied in the negative.

According to District Attorney Fredericks, Mrs. Ingersoll, a San Francisco boarding house keeper, today completed her identification of James McNamara as J. B. Brice, and signed an affidavit to that effect.

John J. McNamara sent a dispatch late today to his mother, Mrs. M. T. McNamara, of Cumminsville, Ohio. It read:

"We are absolutely innocent. Confident acquittal. Receiving every attention."

More light was thrown on Ortie McManigal's alleged confession of the dynamiting of the Llewellyn Iron Works, of this city, by Robert Brain, under sheriff of this county, who had charge of McManigal in the trans-continental trip, just ended.

Brain said the prisoner voluntarily confessed to him while on the train.

According to Brain, McManigal brought up the subject the second day out from Chicago, by asking what punishment would be given him if he were to turn State's evidence.

"I am not in a position to tell you," was Brain's reply. "Are you going to do it?"

"Yes," answered McManigal, "I'm going to tell."

"You know what you are charged with?" inquired Brain.

"Yes; I am charged with dynamiting the plant of the Llewellyn Iron Works."

"Did you do it?"

"Sure, I did."

"What did you get for it?"

"Two hundred dollars," responded McManigal. "That is the price for all such jobs."

May Result in Inquiry.

Indianapolis, Ind., April 27.—The alleged "dynamite conspiracy" in this city was discussed at a close meeting of bankers, manufacturers and business men at the Board of Trade late today, and an investigating committee appointed. A public statement made afterward was that an independent inquiry would be started as to the responsibility for destructive explosions in this city and for the depositing of 100 pounds of dynamite in the building in which are the offices of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Iron Workers.

PUBLIC WELCOME!

The people of Wilmington at large are cordially invited to hear the address of the Hon. W. A. Prendergast, comptroller of the City of New York, in the Academy of Music tonight. He will have for his subject "Municipal Government" and those who expect to hear him should come early.

PASSENGER IS SUFFOCATED

New York Traveling Man Lost Life in Burning Pullman Car at Rocky Mount Yesterday—Two Others Injured.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Mount, N. C., April 27.—A most gruesome story is that of the loss of the life of a traveling salesman, Mr. J. Probstein, of New York City, who was suffocated to death last night with the burning of the Florence-Richmond Pullman sleeping car, "Yucca," upon which he was a passenger en route from Charleston to Richmond and which car was a part of the northbound through passenger train No. 86, "The Palmetto Limited," over the Atlantic Coast Line.

In addition to the loss of the life of this passenger, Mail Transfer Clerk W. F. Ireland and Flagman J. C. Russ are in the Atlantic Coast Line Relief Hospital suffering from injuries sustained, the extent of which are not known. The two men injured were at the work of awakening and getting to a point of safety the ten passengers, who were asleep in the car.

The fire started about 1:20 this morning, when the northbound train was waiting at the passenger station, and it was due to a leaking gas tank, which had been reported to Conductor John Cotton, as "air escaping." The flagman, J. C. Russ, was sent back to investigate and as he neared the escaping gas it ignited from the lantern he carried, and he was hurled a considerable distance and knocked into a state of unconsciousness for several minutes. Within almost a flash the inflammable material in the car caught and was burning rapidly. Transfer Clerk Ireland, Conductor Cotton and one or two passengers from the train rushed into the car, awakening the sleeping passengers and hurrying them to a point of safety. The burning car, which was third from the end, there being two private cars on the rear of the train, was cut loose and shifted to a point on a spur track near-by. By this time the alarm for the city department had been sent in, two companies responded promptly. When they reached the scene they were informed by the Pullman conductor and the porter both, that there were only ten passengers aboard and that they had all been gotten out, the last one having been taken from a point in the car nearly directly over where the fire started and it was while helping in this that Transfer Clerk Ireland was injured

The fire department went at the task of extinguishing the burning car with a thorough belief that the conductor and porter, who stood guard to prevent the entrance of outsiders, to awaken any possible person still inside, knew that all were safe. It was not until the call bell in the far end of the car began to ring, and there was seen what might be thought were signs of life, that the firemen, discrediting what had been told them attempted to enter the car. At the first opening they were driven back and several were overcome. In addition to the entrance of the firemen, Flagman Russ, though injured and burned, had by this time gained consciousness and he heroically attempted to enter the car, if possible to bring to a point of safety the passenger he had been told was still within. Conductor Cotton followed closely upon his heels, but was forced to return to the air and as he was nearly stifled and started to return to the car he was called to come back, but he replied "Let me get my flagman." It was then necessary that Flagman Russ, who has been overcome in the car, should be rescued, and this was done by the firemen, and he was hustled to the Atlantic Coast Line Relief Hospital where he is today, badly burned, though the extent of his injuries are not known.

The removal of the suffocated passenger, Mr. J. Probstein, was with great difficulty as he was found in a crouched position near berth No. 1, and it was necessary that he be carried around the smoking apartment of the car. The facts point to the fact that the dense smoke overcame him, while trying to reach the door. It is known that he was sleeping in berth No. 8, and he was found a goodly distance up the car from that [illegible] While overcome, he was still alive, so it is declared, when he was brought from the car, though he died within a few seconds, that is, before medical attention, that was on the scene, could reach him. He was a traveling salesman for the clothing firm of M. Finkelstein & Sons, of No. 739-741 Broadway, New York, and was himself a resident of New York at No. 201 West 111th street. He was 30 years old. His remains are in the care of a local undertaker upon an order of the railroad officials, awaiting communication from his firm or his relatives.

There were three women passengers and a girl, appearing to be about 14, on the ill-fated car and they were all taken to a point of safety, and the five men got out with little injury, save the loss of a part of their effects. These passengers were taken into the private car of Third Vice President J. E. Kenly, who was a passenger on this train from Florence to Richmond and who was a witness to the catastrophe which is one of the worst in the past several years with the Atlantic Coast Line.

Had Started to Meet Him.

New York, April 27.—Mrs. Jacob Probstein, a bride of four months, was just about to start South today to meet her husband in Richmond, Va., tomorrow, when she was notified by telephone that he had been killed. She left tonight with her father and brother-in-law to bring the body home.

FACTIONAL FIGHT TO SENATE FLOOR

Regulars and Progressives Decide to Settle Trouble in the Open.

DEMOCRATS TO GIVE NO AID

Appointments of Democratic Senators at Caucus Are Announced—Row Over Committees—Expect a Warm Time.

Washington, April 27.—The fight in the open between the warring progressive Republican senators, and the regulars over committee assignments will take place tomorrow. Contrary to expectations, the progressives did not force the issue today when Senator Gallinger, chairman of the Republican Committee on Committees submitted the completed lists. Senator Cummins extended the armistice by asking that consideration of the report go over under the rules of the Senate.

The progressive group will content itself with making a formal protest on the action of Chairman Gallinger's committee in refusing to appoint Senators LaFonette and Bristow to the Interstate Commerce and Finance Committees. The militant clan does not expect to win its point, but its members are seeking solely to place themselves on record.

The Democrats, it was announced, at the close of the caucus of that party today, will render them no aid, believing that the Republican majority is entitled to a free hand in adjusting its own domestic differences.

Democratic Caucus Appointments.

The following is the list of appointments to the most important Senate committees adopted by the Democratic caucus today:

Finance—Bailey, Simmons, Stone, Williams, Kern, Johnson (Me.).

Appropriations—Tillman, Foster, Culberson, Martin, Overman, Owen, Smith, (Md.).

Judiciary—Bacon, Culberson, Overman, Rayner, Paynter, Chilton, O'Gorman.

Interstate Commerce—Tillman, Foster, Newlands, Clarke, (Ark), Gore, Watson, Pomerene.

Foreign Relations—Bacon, Stone, Shively, Clarke, (Ark.), Rayner and Hitchcock.

Postoffice and Post Roads—Bankhead, Taylor, Terrell, Smith, (S. C.); Swanson, Bryan, Martin.

Military Affairs—Foster, Johnston, (Ala.), Clarke, (Ark.), Taylor, Chamberlain, Hitchcock, Williams.

Naval Affairs—Tillman, Smith, (Md) Thornton, Swanson, Bryan, Johnson, (Me.).

Agriculture and Forestry—Bankhead, Gore, Chamberlain, Smith, (S. C.), Percy, Terrell, Lea.

Commerce—Martin, Simmons, Newlands, Bankhead, Fletcher, Percy, Reed.

Education and Labor—Rayner, Bankhead, Shively, Swanson, Martine,

Immigration—Davis, Gare, Smith, (S. C.), Percy, Kern, O'Gorman.

Manufactures—Smith (S. C.), Terrell, Reed, Pomerene, O'Gorman.

Privileges and Elections—Bailey, Paynter, Johnston, (Ala.), Fletcher, Kern, Lea.

Public Buildings and Grounds—Culberson, Taylor, Swanson, Owen, Watson, Martine, Reed.

Rules—Bacon, Bailey, Overman.

Among the Southern Senators with the additional committees to which they were appointed are as follows:

Simmons, of North Carolina—Coast defenses; Cuban relations, engrossed bills; expenditures in the Department of Agriculture and Inter-Oceanic canals.

Overman, of North Carolina—Forest reservations and the protection of game; claims, woman suffrage, industrial expositions, conservation of national resources, and fisheries.

Swanson, of Virginia—Library and industrial expositions.

Martin, of Virginia—Claims.

Tillman, of South Carolina—Five Civilized Tribes of Indians; expenditures in the Navy Department; forest reservation and the protection of game, Canadian relations and mines and mining.

Smith, of South Carolina—Transportation routes to the seaboard and patents.

FOUR DROWNED IN FLORIDA.

River Steamer Sunk With Crew and Valuable Cargo.

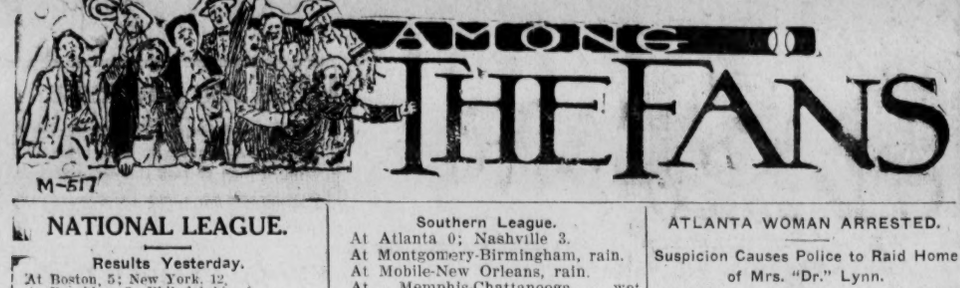
Pensacola, Fla., April 27.—Loaded to capacity with a 5,000 barrel cargo of naval stores, the river steamer Belle, from Vernon, Fla., to Pensacola, sank in a severe 50-mile gale late yesterday in the Choctaw river and four lives were lost.

Capt. Fred Burlison, of Pensacola; Engineer M. Belle, of Vernon, and two children, names unknown, were drowned.

The bodies were recovered. Several members of the crew and two passengers barely escaped drowning.

The vessel and cargo probably will be a total loss. The Belle was one of the largest steamers in the local traffic and was valued at $18,000.

He was a traveling salesman for a clothing manufacturer and about 35 years old.



NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Boston, 5; New York, 12.
At Brooklyn, 2; Philadelphia, 4.
At Cincinnati, 4; Chicago, 2.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Philadelphia	10	2	.833
Chicago	8	4	.667
New York	7	4	.636
Pittsburg	6	4	.600
Cincinnati	4	6	.400
Boston	4	9	.308
St. Louis	3	7	.300
Brooklyn	3	9	.250

Brooklyn, April 27.—With Rucker in the box after a long absence, caused by a sprained ankle, the Brooklyns made a better defense today than yesterday, but lost again to the Philadelphias 4 to 2. Three fast double plays helped Beebe, who pitched good ball. Rucker was hit at both ends of the game.

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Brooklyn .....000 011 000—2 4 1

Beebe and Dooin; Rucker and Bergen; time 1:32; Eason and Johnstone.

Cincinnati, April 27.—Cincinnati won from Chicago today and broke even on the series. Cincinnati bunched three hits with three bases on balls and two sacrifices in the second and scored all of their runs while two triples and a single by Chicago in the same inning scored their two runs. Kaiser broke a finger going after a fly and retired, Hoffman taking his place.

Cincinnati .....040 000 00x—4 7 1
Chicago .....020 000 000—2 10 4

Gaspar and Clarke; Pfeister and Kling; time 2:19; O'Day and Brennan.

New York, April 27.—The Giants defeated Boston today for the third straight time by a score of 12 to 5. Brown and Marquard were both unsteady and were replaced by Parsons and Crandall. Fred Merkle hit the ball over the left field in the fifth inning—the first time this feat has been accomplished since 1909, when Harry Davis lifted the sphere over the barrier.

Boston .....130 010 000— 5 8 2
New York .....501 130 20x—12 9 3

Brown, Parsons and Graham; Marquard, Crandall and Myers and Wilson; time 2:00; Klem and Doyle.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Philadelphia, 9; Washington, 6.
At New York, 4; Boston, 3.
At Cleveland, 3; Detroit, 6.
At Chicago, 14; St. Louis, 4.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P. C.
Detroit	11	1	.917
New York	6	4	.600
Boston	6	5	.545
Chicago	6	6	.500
Philadelphia	5	6	.455
Washington	4	6	.400
Cleveland	5	8	.385
St. Louis	3	10	.231

Philadelphia, April 27.—Washington was defeated here today for the third straight time, the score being 9 to 6. Philadelphia won the game in the seventh inning by hitting Otey and Walker for eight hits, which with an error by Elberfield, netted eight runs.

Washington ....001 010 031—6 10 3
Philadelphia ....100 000 80x—9 14 2

Otey, Walker, Gray and Street; Morgan, Krause and Livingston and Thomas; time 2:10; Connolly and Mullen.

Cleveland, April 27.—Cleveland accorded Gregg poor support today and Detroit won 6 to 3. Detroit also excelled the locals on the bases. Cobb's home run over Jackson's head, scoring Jones ahead of him, was a feature.

Cleveland .....000 011 001—3 11 5
Detroit .....010 002 003—6 9 0

Gregg and Smith and Fisher; Mullin and Stanage; time 2:17; Deneen and O'Loughlin.

Chicago, April 27.—Chicago defeated St. Louis 14 to 4 in a batting bee today. Lord and Bodie led in the batting, the former getting two singles and a like number of triples, Bodie cleaned the bases with a double in the third inning, and also two singles and double. Young and Pfeffer were ineffective while Walsh was in fine condition, but retired to rest up.

Chicago .....106 011 32x—14 18 1
St. Louis .....010 000 021— 4 9 1

Walsh, Baker and Sullivan and Block; Powell, Pfeffer and Clarke; time 1:50; Perrine and Sheridan.

Boston, April 27.—After retiring C. Smith in the second inning and playing on even terms for the local team until the eighth inning, New York won from Boston today 4 to 3.

Boston .....030 000 000—3 4 3
New York .....120 000 010—4 4 4

Hall, C. Smith and Carrigan; Ford and Sweeney; time 2:12; Evans and Egan.

FOUND CROSS-TIES BURNING.

Forest Fire Endangered Section of Newbern Railroad Yesterday.

Yesterday afternoon, while in the vicinity of the seven-mile post on the Newbern railroad investigating a fire, as the law requires for the purpose of making a report on the same, Sheriff Cowan probably saved a considerable part of the railroad at that point from damage. A number of cross-ties had caught on fire and an effort was made to extinguish the flames with sand, no water being available, but little progress was made. While the sheriff was endeavoring to subdue the flames the Newbern train came along. The track was not damaged enough to prevent the train from passing over and upon reaching the city the section squad was at once sent to the scene of trouble. A few yards distant from where the cross-ties were on fire is a small trestle and it was feared that this had been damaged by fire and the train was stopped and the structure inspected before passing over. It was found that it had not caught fire.

Sheriff Cowan stated that the smoke was so dense that one could see but a short distance along the track and that much trouble was experienced in examining the trestle on account of the very dense smoke from the forest fire.

Mingle with the crowds that enjoy themselves at the Grand today. **

Southern League.

At Atlanta 0; Nashville 3.
At Montgomery-Birmingham, rain.
At Mobile-New Orleans, rain.
At Memphis-Chattanooga, wet grounds.

South Atlantic League.

At Savannah 6; Charleston 4.
2nd: Savannah 12; Charleston 1.
At Augusta 3; Columbia 0.
At Macon 7; Jacksonville 3.
At Albany 1; Columbus 2.

Carolina League.

At Greensboro 13; Spartanburg 3.
At Greenville 2; Anderson 5.
At Charlotte 1; Winston-Salem 3.

American Association.

At Minneapolis 11; Toledo 4.
At Kansas City 6; Louisville 4.
At Milwaukee 5; Columbus 8.
At St. Paul 8; Indianapolis 3.

Eastern League.

At Jersey City 1; Toronto 4.
At Providence 0; Montreal 3.
At Newark 5; Rochester 6.
At Baltimore 2; Buffalo 1.

Tidewater League.

At Norfolk 5; Old Point 3.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke 7; Danville 3.
At Lynchburg 4; Petersburg 5.
At Richmond 2; Norfolk 7.

College Games.

At Lexington: Hamilton 1; Washington & Lee 15.
At Sumter, S. C.: Trinity (N. C.) 7; Clemson 0.
At Spartanburg, S. C.: Wofford College 4; Clinton, Presbyterian 3.

THE WATKINS' TRIAL.

Slayer of John Hill Bunting Again in Court at Asheville, N. C.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Asheville, N. C., April 27.—F. C. Watkins, former town marshall of Black Mountain, was this morning placed on trial for the murder of John Hill Bunting in the hotel at Black Mountain about two years ago, Judge Webb, of Shelby, presiding. Watkins faced the charge a few months after the killing but the result was a mistrial. Since then the case has been continued from term to term. At the same time Watkins killed Bunting he also shot P. C. Collins, a banker of Hillsboro, who barely recovered. Almost the entire day was taken up in selecting a jury and the examination of Collins, the principal witness for the prosecution. The greater part of the morning was given to empanelling the jury. After several character witnesses were examined, Collins was put on the stand. His evidence was substantially the same as at the first trial. Witness testified that the night of the tragedy he and Bunting were at the hotel Gladstone. They returned to the hotel from calling on a young lady about 12 o'clock. They had some whiskey and he had taken three drinks, Bunting four. They were in Bunting's room and undersed when Watkins came. Witness said they used some profanity but no vulgarity. Watkins entered the room, lighted a match in one hand with his pistol in the other; that Watkins said: "Don't come on me," and witness said he was not. He held out his hand and there was a flash. Bunting fell to the floor, then witness was shot. Though sharply cross-examined the testimony was not room and undressed when Watkins was tried a few months after the tragedy he contended he was called to the hotel to quell a disturbance two men were making, that when he entered the room and stated his purpose the light he had made was put out, two men grappled with him and that he shot in self-defense. There was strong feeling at the time of the killing and considerable interest is felt here now as to the outcome.

LIBERTY SHORT-LIVED.

Negro Who Dodged Constable Arrested at Lumberton.

In response to a telegram from Sheriff McNeill, of Roberson county, Constable Savage went to Lumberton yesterday afternoon after Henry Myers, a negro, wanted here for assault with a deadly weapon on a negro, and also carrying concealed weapons. This is the same negro who escaped from Constable Savage a few nights ago, when he went to his home to arrest him. Myers heard the officer come upon the porch, and lost no time and, jumping through the window in scant apparel.

For the time being, he succeeded in getting way, but Constable Savage was on the lookout, and yesterday morning he was informed that Myers had gone to Lumberton. The sheriff of Roberson was at once called up and it was not long before a report was received, stating that Myers had been arrested. He is said to be a bad negro.

Col. Savage returned last night from Lumberton, landing his prisoner in New Hanover jail.

MARSHALS APPOINTED.

Mr. G. J. Boney Chief Marshal for Memorial Day.

General James I. Metts yesterday announced the appointment of marshals for the memorial exercises on the 10th of May. The following order was issued:

Headquarters of Cape Fear Camp, U. C. V., Wilmington, N. C., April 27th, 1911.

The following comrades have been appointed as marshals for the Memorial Exercises on 10th of May, at Oakdale Cemetery: Chief Marshal, G. J. Boney; aides, G. B. Casteen, W. M. Hankins, Jesse Dicksey, Thomas King.

By order of JAMES I. METTS,
L. Leon, Adjt. Commander.

Colored Couple Married.

Near Delgado village last night, C. H. Williams and Clara Rhodes were united in marriage, the ceremony being performed by Rev. G. W. Phillips, of Ebenezer church. The father of Clara Rhodes has been employed at the Delgado Mill since the same first began operation and is a very highly respected colored citizen. Number of the white friends of the couple witnessed the ceremony.

ATLANTA WOMAN ARRESTED.

Suspicion Causes Police to Raid Home of Mrs. "Dr." Lynn.

Atlanta, Ga., April 27.—Suspicion that criminal operations and infant murders had taken place there led to a police raid today upon the home of Mrs. "Dr." Rachel E. Lynn, spiritualist and midwife, in a fashionable section of Atlanta and the arrests of Mrs. Lynn and two of her negro servants. "Disorderly conduct" will be the specific charge against Mrs. Lynn when she is arraigned before Judge Broyles tomorrow morning, but the police state that she will be held upon a more serious charge if they are able to produce in court the testimony upon the arrests were based.

Mrs. Lynn stoutly denies all allegations against her and upon advice of her lawyers refuses to discuss her case. She is a woman 67 years of age and has lived here for many years. Her grandson, Charles Lynn, aged 12, and two white women, are being held as witnesses.

In a statement to Judge Broyles following the raid, Chief of Detectives Lanford said the charges against Mrs. Lynn were based upon information furnished him by the two women held as witnesses whose names are withheld. One of them told him, he said, of a conversation she had had while in the house, with a negro maid, in which the latter said that "Every grate in the house had contained the ashes of a dead baby." The police expect the other woman, a trained nurse, to testify that Mrs. Lynn had performed criminal operations upon women in her house.

WAKE SUPERIOR COURT.

Two Damage Suits of Interest—Governor Kitchin Busy Speaking.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 27.—The Carolina Power and Light Company obtained a non-suit in Wake Superior Court today in the damage suit against the company by R. H. Bell, who was suing for $15,000 damages for injuries in falling from a scaffolding at the power plant and street car sheds of the company some months ago, while these were being enlarged.

The allegation of the plaintiff was that his falling was really due to being pushed off of the scaffold by an employe of the company carelessly and through negligence of the company. At the conclusion of the evidence, counsel for the Carolina Company entered a demurrer to the evidence, which was sustained. The plaintiff will appeal.

The suit of W. Wade Williams and others against the city of Raleigh was the next called, being now in process of trial. This is a suit in which damage is demanded for the burning of two residences on East Person street, the contention of the plaintiff being that defective water supply gave the fire a headway that it would not have gained could the firemen have gotten proper pressure for the streams of water they were in readiness to throw in ample time to have saved the property from more than nominal damages. The damage involved is around $5,000. The Wake Water Company is indirectly involved as defendant.

An amended charter for the Sternberger Foundry and Supply Company, Asheville, filed today with the Secretary of State, changes the name to The American Foundry and Supply Co. Principal stockholders are S. Sternberger, W. F. Post, and others.

Governor Kitchin is out of the executive office for a few days on a "school closing address" mission to a number of points. The demands on the State officers at this season for this service is very great. Some of the State officers have been declining invitations of this sort for some time, at the rate of four or five per day, because they just cannot spare so much time from their official duties. The Governor has been sticking pretty close to his desk the past two years, until the past few weeks.

KEPT PRESIDENT BUSY.

Attended Four Dinners and One Luncheon Yesterday.

New York, April 27.—This was another day of whirlwind activity for President Taft. He attended today no less than four dinners and one luncheon and yet had time for an automobile ride this afternoon with brief conferences with local political leaders sandwiched between.

The luncheon was held at the residence of Henry Clews, a well known New York banker, where the President's health was drunk by a representative gathering of the leaders of the International peace movement. Tonight he attended successively the joint dinner of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association and the Associated Press; a banquet of the Methodist Social Union; a dinner of the Aeronautical Society, and lastly a Business Men's Dinner given to J. Van Vechten Olcott.

At each gathering he delivered an address.

Later the President visited the grand ball room at the Hotel Astor, where he found himself in a veritable aerodrome. At every height and angle hung the minatures of countless aeroplanes, balloons and airships.

"I look forward," said the President, "to the day which may come soon when you provide an airship which will safely carry men of my avoirdupois."

Presented with honor membership in the society, the President said: "I will use this membership card as an admission to the first airship or aeroplane available."

Madison, Wis., April 25.—The men students at the University of Wisconsin are more proficient in their college work than the women, according to the annual elections in Phi Beta Kappa fraternity, announced yesterday by the faculty, when thirteen men and seven women were given membership in that honorary scholastic society.

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AFFAIRS AT STATE CAPITAL

Listing of Taxables in North Carolina. Likelihood of Chief Justice Clark Entering Senatorial Race. Goldsboro Train.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., April 27.—A boklet of rules and suggestions to tax assessing officers for the assessment of property during May and June under the Machinery Act of the last Legislature, is being sent to all assessing officers in all the counties by the Corporation Commission as a State tax commission.

It treats the whole scope of duties of these officers in the movement for getting all property, real and personal in this State on the books at money value. The classification and assessment of town and county real estate is outlined in detail as to the best method in bringing about uniformity that it is complained has not been maintained in past assessments. The Commission takes the ground as to the assessment of personal property that it must be assessed at its money value and that this valuation must be by the assessor, or, if given in by the owner, the assessor must accept the assessment made by the owner as his own.

Close friends of Chief Justice Clark say that he is receiving urgent letters from admirers in various sections of the State urging that he get in the race for the United States Senate along with Senator Simmons, Governor Kitchin and possibly ex-Governor Aycock. They say he is receiving many letters, too, from friends whose first choice is ex-Governor Aycock, but who do not believe that the ex-Governor will enter the race at all. Judge Clark declines to be interviewed on the situation and his purpose in the premises, his response to newspaper inquiries being that he has nothing to say at this time. The impression is growing that he will be avowedly in the race, as many believe he is now so far as actual activities are concerned, before a great while. He can make the race in the State primary for the Senatorship that is expected to be ordered, without resigning the chief justiceship of the Supreme Court, and this is what it is believed he will do.

The statement is made at the State Department of Agriculture that there is being conducted this season experimental farm work for the benefit of farm neighborhoods in 50 counties. These demonstration plats are of one or more acres each and are tendered by the land owner with the approval and co-operation of the county commissioners to be cultivated under the direction of the State agronomist, J. L. Burgess and his assistants. The 50 plats this season is a very considerable increase over the number last season.

The latest reports to the horticultural division of the State Department of Agriculture as to the injury to fruit and truck by the late frosts is that the apple crop in the West is still practically uninjured; that peaches the State over are reduced to something like one-third of a crop, with the yield practically eliminated in some localities. Apples in the central and eastern sections are from one-third to one-half crop. Strawberries are very much belated by the cold and in some localities, especially on dark soils, beans, potatoes and other truck is seriously frost bitten.

Raleigh and Wake county have a law that requires the filing of sworn statements of campaign expenses both for primaries and general elections. The statements are now being filed for the recent Democratic primary and it appears that James I. Johnson, who defeated J. S. Wynne for mayor, spent only $23.25, and that Mr. Wynne spent $150. Time and work and advertising are the items specified.

There has been no notice of appeal filed by the Atlantic Coast Line from the order of the Corporation Commission for the run of the Norfolk-Goldsboro shoo-fly to be extended each night to Wilmington to afford additional train service and western and northern connections for Wilmington, and the general impression here is that the railroad company will undertake to comply with the order without appeal to the courts, the general opinion being that there is the greatest sort of a need for the additional train service out of Wilmington in the early morning that this additional train will give.

West Pulley is back in the penitentiary to serve 20 years for the murder of Henry Perry, of Franklin county, four years ago. He was declared insane soon after the killing and committed to the criminal insane department of the penitentiary without trial, remaining there until quite recently when he was carried back for trial. This resulted in the 20-years sentence begun today.

C. C. McMichael, a well known lawyer and politician of Wentworth, spent some time today with ex-Governor Aycock urging that he announce himself forthwith as a candidate for the United States Senate. Mr. McMichael, insists ex-Governor Aycock owes his candidacy to the party to say what he believes would be the disastrous effects of a contest with only a Simmons-Kitchin contest. He would not discuss his interview with the ex-Governor except to say that Aycock is considering the matter very seriously and will make a definite statement very soon.

GOVERNOR WILSON GUEST.

Fraises Progress In New Jersey—Prominent Men Attend.

Phillipsburg, N. J., April 27.—Governor Wilson was the guest of honor at the Phillipsburg Board of Trade dinner, which was held here tonight.

The governor revealed the work of the recent session of the New Jerey Legislature saying that "New Jersey is happy in having turned her face to the light and set out upon the path of modern progress with a stride that will certainly carry her forward very rapidly to a place alongside the leading progressive States of the Union."

Many prominent men attended the banquet.

Today.

Splendid music by the orchestra at the Grand. **

"UNCLE JOE" ON CAROLINA

Pays Tribute to His Native Land—Survey of Edenton Bay—House Policemanship Goes to Tar Heel—Wilson.

Wilmington Star Bureau.
Congress Hall.
(By H. E. C. Bryant.)

Washington, D. C., April 27.—Uncle Joe Cannon, a native of North Carolina, and a vigorous youth of 70-odd Summers, did not fail to say some pretty things about the Old North State in his speech on Canadian reciprocity several days ago. His remarks as they appear in the Record, read:

"I was born in North Carolina, and when four years old, in the arms of my mother, was moved over the mountains. The family went to the Wabash, and my good old mother never seased mourning for the magnificent climate of North Carolina. My father, when a young man, helped to found a college down near Greensboro, N. C. A few years ago I accepted an invitation to attend its commencement. I arrived the day before the commencement, and I went around with Prof. Hobbs through the section of the country in the vicinity of Greensboro.

"I visited the old farm where I was born, and found there every evidence of prosperity and thrift. As I remembered the place, it was crossed by deep gullies and was not good for very much. I asked the farmer how he got the land into such a prosperous state. He replied that he began by throwing a dam across each gully, so that the dirt washed in and levelled up the land. Then he had found the use of clover and cowpeas had improved the land, and that while he had paid only $10 an acre for it a few years before, he had within a few days refused $25 per acre. I asked if any other agency were at work in bringing about this increase than his own labor and intelligence. 'Oh, yes,' said he, 'we have railroads and factories now. Over here at Greensboro they have large factories, and I find there a market for my chickens and eggs and all the small fruit I have to sell.'

"I was amazed at the evidences of progress on every side, and if I had been taken into Greensboro blindfolded I would nave remarked, 'How marvelously has the city of Peoria, or the city of Quincy, improved.'

"So that renaissance in agriculture is not only going on in New York and in New England, but is going on in the South. The quickening life of other industries furnishes a market.

"I went out to the old Quaker graveyard and even there I could trace the progress of that country. The first little monuments were two or three feet high, but gradually higher ones were added, until the monuments of the last eight or ten years compare favorably with those erected in any prosperous community. The graveyard told the story.

"I am interested in seeing North Carolina, Tennessee, Georgia, South Carolina, Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas, all the Southern States, diversify their industries and restore their lands."

Senators Overman and Simmons and Representative Small and others have been notified that government engineers had surveyed Edenton Bay and reported unfavorably on the project to improve it. The matter may be taken up with the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors.

Mr. D. McMatheson, of Taylorsville, landed on a job but not at a door. He is a special policeman in the House Office Building, and bears the distinction of having the longest, largest and finest set of whiskers ever worn by a Capitol policeman. He will not get to hear the debates but will be able to keep tab on the North Carolina Congressmen. No one ever saw a House office building officer arrest any one and it is not believed that the Taylorsville recruit will have to lead a very strenuous

The North Carolina Historical and Literary Association has invited Governor Woodrow Wilson, of New Jersey, to address it at its 11th annual meeting. The Association has had as speakers Thomas Nelson Page, Ambassador Bryce, Theodore Roosevelt, Hannis Taylor and others. Governor Wilson is one of the leading Democrats of the day. He is mentioned in connection with the Presidential nomination for 1912. The North Carolina Society will do well to get him. He is able, popular and attractive.

A great effort is being made to have Mr. Dickey appointed postmaster at Murphy, confirmed. S. W. Davidson, Sheriff Dickey, A. A. Fain, clerk of court of Cherokee, and Marshall W. Bell, of Murphy, have been here for several days to help him. The confirmation will go through unless new complications arise.

GOVERNOR SPEAKS.

Made Address at Closing of Castalia High School.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Nashville, April 27.—The closing exercises of the Castalia High School, took place Tuesday night, yesterday, and last night. Tuesday night there was a concert. Last night the closing concert was given followed by the delivery of medals, prizes, diplomas and the reading of the honor roll. The annual address was by Governor William W. Kitchin. Governor Kitchin was introduced by the Rev. George M. Duke. His speech was a little different from the ordinary commencement address, but it was highly enjoyed, and its purpose was to make the community better for his having come into it. He traced the growth of government, showing how now the demand was for rule direct from the people. In passing he stated that the demands for primaries so that the people could select their own officials were right and just. He said he was not advocating the initiative and referendum, but that in the growth of our civilization we had gotten to the place where the people were better qualified than ever to take in hand governmental affairs. The plea of the speaker was for unselfish patriotism, and in passing he mentioned the good of schools, railroads, and good public roads. The people of Castalia and other parts of Nash vote May 13th upon the question of road bonds. Castalia votes May 10th for or against railroad bonds.

McKANNA STARTLES COLUMBIA.

Letter to Mayors of South Carolina—To Reclaim Derelicts.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Columbia, S. C., April 26.—There are men living today who have of themselves never fully realized the terrible effects of the liquor habit. They cannot understand how it is possible for a man to continue to drink day after day, sinking lower in his views and companionship each year he continues his habit. When the final chapter seems to be written and they have abandoned all that is dear in life only to cling to their drinking it is then that former friends feel the necessity of seeking what final relief can be procured for them. In the city of Columbia, S. C., there has appeared a man, Dr. J. J. McKanna, who comes forward in an open letter addressed to every mayor in each city of that State offering to cure these derelicts who have neither money nor possibly any homes, he has called upon to furnish a class of his liquor cure treatment to cure these men in three days' time sending them back home entirely free from ever wanting to indulge in any intoxicants. The response by the mayors has been prompt and a large class of men were undergoing treatment at the McKanna sanitarium in that city. The doctor intends to do this work in every State. He recently held a class in Charlotte, N. C., and in cities of other States. A representative of the State newspaper has interviewed many of these men and they certainly seem to be loud in their testimony of the benefits derived for none could or would take a drink any more. Dr. McKanna has done this philanthropic work without any reward, and it is attracting much attention wherever he does it.

Norfolk, Va., April 27.—Dennis Overton, mate on the steamer Undine, of the Bennett North Carolina Line, was struck in the head with an iron bolt thrown by a negro in one of the warehouses at the Clyde Line pier and almost instanely killed. The mate and the negro had words and the latter threatened to get "even." The murderer, whose name is unknown, escaped and the police have thus far failed to locate him. Overton's home was in Coinjock, N. C.

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Ar. Wilson, A. C. L. ..... 11:00 p. m.

Lv. Wilmington, A.C.L. .. 15:50am. *3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A.C.L. .. 9:15am 6:50pm

Lv. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R. .. *7:15am *10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N.S.R.R. .. 9:30am 12:30am

Lv. Wilson, N.S.R.R. .. *8:20am *11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N.S.R.R. .. 10:50am 2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N.S.R.R. .. 3:35pm 8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N.S.R.R. ..... 9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N.S.R.R. ..... 6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N.S.R.R. ..... 5:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington ..... 9:45 a. m.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of William Goodman, deceased, late of the County of New Hanover, State of North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 6th day of April, 1912, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

BERNHARDT GOODMAN,
Executor.

This 6th day of April, 1911.
Louis Goodman, Attorney.
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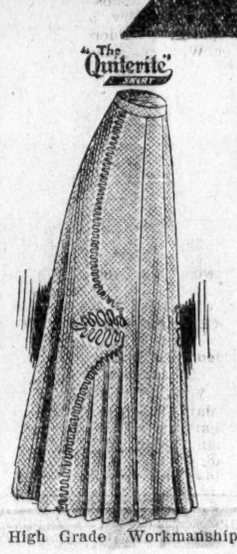

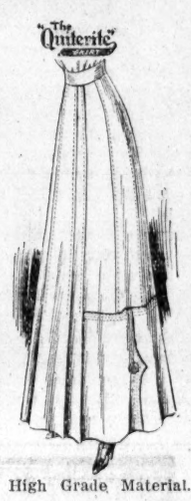

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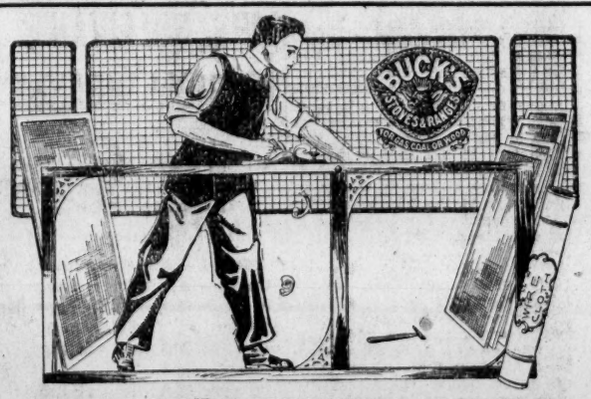

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42	48	*Daily.	49	41
*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv .. ..WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am
10 05pm	11 43am	Ar .. .. Goldsboro .. .. Lv.	2 59pm	6 40am
11 00pm	12 43pm	Ar .. .. .. Wilson .. .. .. Lv.	1 52pm	5 40am
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar .. .. Rocky Mount .. .. Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am
2 15am	4 55pm	Ar .. .. .. Weldon .. .. .. Lv.	11 30am	3 24pm
4 00am	7 05pm	Ar. .. .. Petersburg .. .. Lv.	9 13am	1 36am
4 40am	8 00pm	Ar .. .. .. Richmond .. .. .. Lv.	8 15am	1 00am
8 00am	11 50pm	Ar .. .. .. Washington .. .. Lv.	4 20am	9 40pm
10 02am	1 15am	Ar. .. .. .. Baltimore .. .. Lv.	2 50am	8 20pm
12 36pm	3 40am	Ar. .. West Philadelphia .. Lv.	12 19am	5 44pm
2 12pm	5 40am	Ar. .. Manhattan Tr. (a) .. Lv.	9 50pm	3 58pm
2 31pm	6 00am	Ar. .. .. NEW YORK .. .. Lv.	*9 30pm	*3 38pm

(7th Ave and 32nd St.)

(a)—Connections made at Manhattan Transfer with trains to and from Jersey City, and thence with Desbrosses or Cortlandt street ferries and with Hudson River Terminal tubes to and from lower New York City.

(b)—Sleeper arriving New York 6:00 A. M. may be occupied until 7:30 A. M.

48 and 49—Pullman parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman service.

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains with Pullman service.

42	48	*Daily.	49	41
*7 00pm	*8 40am	Lv .. ..WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	6 15pm	9 45am
11 45pm	1 18pm	Ar. .. .. Rocky Mount .. .. Lv.	12 58pm	5 05am
3 30am	1 20pm	Lv .. .. Rocky Mount .. .. Ar.	12 55pm	10 35pm
4 13am	2 05pm	Ar .. .. .. Tarboro .. .. .. Lv.	12 18pm	9 58pm
8 00am	5 55pm	Ar .. .. .. NORFOLK .. .. .. Lv.	*8 15am	*6 20pm

42 and 41—Pullman Broiler buffet sleeping cars Wilmington and Norfolk.
42 and 49—Pullman Parlor and Dining car, Wilmington and Norfolk.

55	51	*Daily.	50	54
*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv .. ..WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	11 40pm	1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar .. .. .. Florence .. .. .. Lv.	8 00pm	9 30am
11 20pm	12 50pm	Ar .. .. Charleston .. .. Lv.	4 37pm	5 25am
2 25am	3 25pm	Ar. .. .. Savannah .. .. .. Lv.	12 05pm	12 25am
11 55am	2 20am	Ar .. .. .. Albany .. .. .. Lv.	1 25am	1 55pm
9 40am	1 45am	Ar .. .. Thomasville .. .. Lv.	205am	2 05pm
5 50pm	8 50am	Ar .. .. Montgomery .. .. Lv.	6 50pm	6 05am
7 15am	8 00pm	Ar .. JACKSONVILLE. .. Lv.	7 30am	7 55pm
2 05pm	2 16am	Ar .. .. Sanford, Fla .. .. Lv.	1 35am	2 55pm
7 00pm	7 00am	Ar .. .. .. TAMPA .. .. .. Lv.	9 00pm	10 30am
9 10pm	8 20am	Ar. .. ST. PETERSBURG .. Lv.	8 05pm	6 30am
10 20pm	1 05pm	.. .. FORT MYERS .. .. Lv.	*3 00pm	*6 45am

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55	51	*Daily.	32	50	54
*3 15pm	*5 45am	Lv. .. .. WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	11 40pm		1 40pm
7 25pm	9 30am	Ar. .. .. Florence .. .. Lv.	8 00pm		9 30am
9 25pm	11 25am	Ar. .. .. Sumter .. .. Lv.	5 55pm		7 35am
11 10pm	12 55pm	Ar. .. .. COLUMBIA .. .. Lv.	4 10pm		6 00am
9 25am	.....	Ar .. .. AUGUSTA .. .. Lv.	2 30pm		.....
11 50pm	1 10pm	Lv. .. .. . COLUMBIA—Sou. Ry .. .. .. Ar.	2 30pm		4 40am
5 30am	7 40pm	Ar. .. .. .. Saluda—Sou. Ry .. .. .. Lv.	8 45am		10 25pm
6 00am	8 15pm	Ar. .. .. .. Hendersonville—Sou. Ry .. .. .. Lv.	8 05am		9 50pm
7 00am	9 15pm	Ar .. .. ASHEVILLE—Sou. Ry. .. .. .. Lv.	7 00am		8 50pm
7 20pm	.....	Ar .. .. Knoxville—Sou. Ry .. .. .. Lv.	*1 35am		8 30am
1 05am	.....	Ar .. .. Louisville—Sou. Ry .. .. .. Lv.	.....		7 40am
8 00am	.....	Ar .. .. . CINCINNATI—Q. & C. .. .. .. Lv.	.....		*8 10pm

51—SLEEPING CAR, Wilmington to Columbia.
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57	51	55	*Dly.	!Dly ex Sun.	xSun only	54	50	58
7 30pm	*5 45am	*3 15pm	Lv ..	WILMINGTON	Ar.	1 40pm	11 50pm	8 30am
9 15pm	7 28am	5 00pm	Ar ..	CHADBOURN	Lv.	*11 40am	9 58pm	6 25am
10 10pm	11 50am	x5 15pm	Lv ..	CHADBOURN	Ar.	7 10am	5 00pm	6 15am
11 45pm	1 30pm	6 45pm	Ar ..	CONWAY	Lv.	x5 40am	3 30pm	4 30am

59	53	*Daily	Daily ex. Sun.	60	52
6 30pm	*8 45am	Lv .. .. WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.		10 15am	8 05pm
9 45pm	11 45am	Ar .. .. Fayetteville .. .. Lv.		7 15am	4 50pm
9 45pm	12 10pm	Lv .. .. Fayetteville .. .. Ar.		6 25am	4 45pm
11 10pm	1 40pm	Ar .. .. SANFORD .. .. Lv.		5 00am	*3 30pm

*Daily.	!Daily Except Sunday. xcept Sunday.	63	65
*3 25pm	!5 50am	Lv .. .. WILMINGTON .. .. Ar.	12 50pm	6 50pm
5 22pm	7 42am	Ar .. .. Jacksonville, N. C. .. .. .. Lv.	10 55am	4 55pm
6 44pm	9 05am	Ar .. .. .. Nor. and Sou. Junction .. .. .. Lv.	9 35am	3 35pm
6 50pm	9 10am	Ar. .. .. NEWBERN, N. C. .. .. .. Lv.	*9 30am	!3 30pm

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W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.
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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

In Effect Monday, April 10th, 1911.

TO THE BEACH

Week Days:

Leave Front and Princess:	Leave Lumina:
6:20 A. M.	
6:50	7:15 A. M.
8:30	7:45
10:00	9:15
11:30	10:45
1:00 P. M.	12:15 P. M.
3:00	1:45
4:30	3:45
5:30	5:15
6:10	6:20
7:10	6:50
8:30	7:50
	9:15
Sundays:	
8:30 A. M.	9:15 A. M.
9:30	10:15
10:00	10:45
11:30	12:15 P. M.
1:00 P. M.	1:45
2:00	2:45
and every half hour until	and every half hour until
5:30	5:45
6:10	6:20
7:10	6:50
8:30	7:50
	9:15

WRIGHTSVILLE.

Leave Wilmington for Wrightsville:
Week Days—6:20, 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
Sundays—8:30, 9:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:00, 2:30, 3:00, 3:30, 4:00, 4:30, 5:00, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00 P. M.
Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington:
Week Days—6:20, 7:30, 7:55, 8:25, 9:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 3:55, 5:25, 6:30, 7:00; 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.
Sundays—9:25, 10:25, 10:55 A. M.; 12:25, 1:55, 2:55, 3:25, 3:55, 4:25, 4:55, 5:25, 5:55, 6:30, 7:00, 8:00, 9:25, 10:30, 11:30 P. M.

GOLF LINKS.

Leave Wilmington:
Week Days—6:20, 6:50, 8:00, 8:30, 9:30, 10:00, 11:30 A. M.; 1:00, 2:30, 3:00, 4:30, 5:30, 6:10, 7:10, 8:30, 10:00, 11:00.
Leave Golf Links for Wilmington:
Week Days—6:35, 7:45, 8:15, 8:45, 9:45, 11:15 A. M.; 12:45, 2:15, 2:45, 4:15, 5:15, 5:55, 6:50, 7:20, 8:15, 9:45, 10:45, 11:45 P. M.

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Lv Norfolk	8:30 a m	8:00 p m
Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a m	10:40 p m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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No. 45—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:40 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet, 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 10:50 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington:
No 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.
No. 44—11:50 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 64, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 64, for Washington and New York; No. 62, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 65, leaving Wilmington at 3:40 P. M., and No. 40, arriving at Wilmington at 12:20 P. M.

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Friday, April 28, 1911.

What does Wilmington need? How can Wilmington get what she needs?

The South is only doing now what it always did when it had the chance.

Wanted—Men who can face the music when they know what part they are to take in the performance of their duty.

The muckraker is a writer who brings about reforms that are distasteful to some people who be let alone.

"How shall we treat men?" inquires a woman lecturer. Same old way. Ask them to name their "pisen," and then pay for it after they get it.

The world is interested in the forthcoming coronation of King George, but it doesn't detract from the widespread interest in what is said and done by Ty Cobb and Hans Wagner.

Officials who try to enforce the law will be just about as unpopular as those who don't or can't enforce it. Those who seek authority butt into unpopularity in spite of themselves.

If we are to have "A Greater Nation Through a Greater South," we must have a Greater Wilmington Through a Greater Number of Boosters. Join the Chamber of Commerce.

The Columbia State has resurrected a letter written by Old Hickory Jackson to Governor Hammond, acknowledging South Carolina as his native State. What an artful flatterer Old Hickory was!

Birmingham's new commission government has reduced the city's expenses by a saving of $74,000 a year. That is the result of leaving off politics and getting down to business in managing the affairs of a city. Politics has gotten into disrepute because it has overlooked economy.

The Columbia State claims that Caesar's Head is on the South Carolina side of the line and doubts the story that Caesar's Head was overturned by an earthquake a few days ago. When the truth comes out it will appear that Caesar's Head has been turned by some North Carolina girl.

Some people are raising a great disturbance because the State of Utah wants to engrave Brigham Young's picture on the silver service to be presented to the battleship Utah. Brigham's fame rested on the fact that he had wives to burn. His picture might serve as a warning to persons who are not satisfied with keeping out of trouble.

New England has gone to giving herself publicity in order to keep from getting left. The Boston Chamber of Commerce recently published a pamphlet for free distribution, setting forth the attractions of the New England States. Vermont has protested that she "only got a word or two" in the pamphlet, but, even at that, it is quite probable that Vermont got something for nothing.

An official ought to be willing to be "recalled" if he doesn't hold down his job with satisfaction to the public. Either a resignation or a recall is in order when an official falls down on his job. In fact, that is what he ought to expect. The right kind of man doesn't care a doggone whether there is any recall or not, and that, if there is, he has nothing whatsoever to fear from the blamed thing. A man should so conduct himself that he can look a recall square in the face without batting his eye and without feeling that he is feloniously in possession of somebody's sheep.

BOOSTER RECRUITS WANTED.

Wilmington is being made a greater port by the United States government which is at work on a 30-foot channel for the accommodation of larger ocean-going steamers. However, it devolves upon Wilmingtonians to provide a greater commerce for their greater port. They must provide the dock and pier facilities and have a harbor and terminal scheme. Who will suggest one?

With deeper water and better harbor facilities, commerce can be attracted to Wilmington, but it will have to be done by the business men of Wilmington. Just as Wilmington has become the fourth cotton exporting port in the world because of the efforts and enterprise of the exporting house of Alexander Sprunt & Son, so also must the growth of other lines of commerce be brought about by the enterprise and individual efforts of the men who are doing business in Wilmington or others who will recognize the advantages of the port and come here to do business.

We are soon to have greater port facilities and we must better our harbor and terminal facilities, either by means of a bond issue or by means of private capital. With a foreign export business now amounting to $25,000,000 to $30,000,000 annually, what could we do if we would take advantage of the advantages that would be offered by means of betters harbor facilities? Water and rail transportation make Wilmington already a splendid distributing point, and several great industries have been attracted here by reason of that fact. That means a greater commerce for the port this year, but we can further increase that business ourselves and by inducing others to come here and profit by the opportunities which are offered by our transportation and distributing advantages. We will have to advertise this superior point in Wilmington's favor. It is time we were at it.

Wilmington must be made a great manufacturing center. The same reason that several fertilizer factories have been established here, is all the reason necessary to induce the establishment of other industries. Wilmington is a good distributing point, and has the geographic location and climate to make that advantage ideal. That is why four new fertilizer factories have been built and that is why other manufactories ought to be established here by home capital and by others who might be induced to do so if they knew that the crowning feature of Wilmington's advantages for manufacturing is a belt line railroad entirely encircling the city and connecting by water and rail with all the world. We will have to advertise it if we wish to have advantage taken of it.

Wilmington is in the midst of a fine trucking region, and the most effective publicity can be given to that fact to attract settlers all around Wilmington. This season (up to April 12) the State Demonstration Farm has already demonstrated that a profit of $600 was netted on one acre of land, and there are hundreds of other instances magnifying the agricultural possibilitie of this region. Of course, that needs publicity so it can be known beyond Burgaw, and there are a whole lot of other possibilities that need advertising abroad.

We have the goods to advertise. Will we do it or rock along till the 1920 census? The Chamber of Commerce wants to attract atention to Wilmington's advantages and needs the co-operation of every live man in Wilmington. It is the plan to secure at least 500 members, and the membership committee will make a canvass next week to enlist new recruits. That is absolutely necessary, if we are to built Wilmington, so every real Wilmingtonian, young and old, should enlist to make the fight for a greater Wilmington.

JUST ONE MEMORIAL DAY.

Fifty years ago on the 1st of April the tocsin of civil war was sounded, and for four years contending armies of American brothers engaged in a war which made the world stand in awe. That bloody strife is now a sad memory, while, year by year, thinner grows the ranks of the Blue and the Gray which faced each other on the historic battlefields of the Republic.

That memory is manifested in Decoration Day of the North and Memorial Day of the South. In North Carolina and a few other Southern States, Memorial Day comes on the 10th of May and soon it will be here to be celebrated with the deep impressiveness that marks such occasions. However, other Southern States have their memorial exercises on other dates, but there is a timely proposition to adopt one date for all the South to pay tribute to its Confederate dead. There should be only one day for this sad occasion, and even the New York Tribune commends the proposition. Says that paper:

"Southern newspapers are talking about the advisability of observing a single Confederate Memorial Day. Louisiana has two such days—June 3, established by law, and April 6, set apart by prior custom and preference of certain organizations of Confederate veterans. June 3 is observed by some States besides Louisiana, and April 26 is observed by still other States. There would undoubtedly be a gain in impressiveness if all the former Confederate States should choose the same Memorial Day."

The Tribune overlooked the 10th of May Memorial in Virginia, North Carolina and South Carolina, but the fact that the South has several different memorial dates emphasizes the propriety of having a single Memorial Day throughout the late Confederate States.

Baby's Voice

Every woman's heart thrills at the cooing and prattling of a baby, and motherhood is her highest and purest joy. Yet the suffering incident to this great consummation of her life's desire, robs the anticipation of some of its sweetness. Most of this can be avoided by the use of Mother's Friend. This great remedy prepares the expectant mother's system for the coming event, and its use makes her comfortable during all the term. Mother's Friend assists nature in gradually expanding all tissues, muscles and tendons, it strengthens the ligaments, keeps the breasts in good condition, and brings the woman to the crisis in healthful physical condition. The regular use of Mother's Friend lessens the pain when baby comes, and assures a quick and natural recovery for the mother. For sale at drug stores. Write for free book for expectant mothers.

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POWER IN CONDENSED SHAPE.

Something wonderful is always being discovered or invented. Now comes a Washington dispatch in the New York World, under date of April 25th, telling us that the Standard Oil Company is patenting a process for gelatinizing gasolene.

Washington patent attorneys are handling the matter for the company and they state that if the new compound is found to work satisfactorily under the given conditions of gasolene proper, it will make gasolene one-half cheaper for producing power, because it will lessen the cost of storage and transportation.

Gelatinized gasolene seems to be solidified gasolene and is said to be the pure article, one gallon of which can be condensed into the size of a stick of shaving soap. It can be used for driving engines and furnishing power for aeroplanes, automobiles, power boats, and in all engines which depend upon gasolene for motive force.

Experts declare that aeroplaning will enter into its greatest era when patents shall have been secured for this condensed fuel for power machines. It is said the new product will be controlled by the Standard Oil company, and if it will accomplish one half that is claimed for it, gelatinized gasolene will work wonders. A man could carry enough gasolene in his pockets to sail an aeroplane from Wilmington to New York, or run his automobile to all the mountain resorts in North Carolina.

No one need be surprised these times at the discovery or invention of anything.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Employing detectives may not be a proper course, but it is about the only way to catch them.—Durham Herald.

Mr. Simmons and Mr. Aycock are liable to make a mistake if they enter the race to down Mr. Kitchin, thinking that if one does not get it the other will.—Durham Herald.

What's the object in trying to get Aycock in the Senatorial race? With three men in a primary there would in all probability be no nomination and the matter would have to go before the Legislature. Which of the three favors this plan? Don't all speak at once.—Greensboro Record.

If there is anybody who can put up a beated line of talk it is the landlady who wants the board money two months over-due. This established fact was freshly demonstrated in New York city a day or two ago, when a landlady was trying to induce two of her boarders to pay what they owed. The language was so hot that somebody turned in a fire alarm and the department had a line of hose in the house and an engine at the door before the lady had stopped to catch her breath.—Savannah News.

Judge Biggs has stirred things up Charlotte way. Press and pulpit have been mouthing about the liquor and money used in the last city election or primary for mayor, and Judge Biggs, who opened court there Monday said in effect that where there was so much smoke there certainly must be some fire, so he charged the grand jury to look into these reports and they are doing that very thing, while the "boosters for the respective candidates are shaking in their boots. Preachers and papers said men were hanging around the polls so drunk they did not know b from bull's foot, while money was plentiful and very much in evidence. Now the papers are saying that while all this might be true, neither of the candidates had anything to do with it. Probably not, but they had some fool friends and it is hoped they will be punished.—Greensboro Record.

A writer for the Birmingham Ledger, describing the effect upon public opinion of even the short experience Birmingham has had with commission government, cites this incident: "A well known citizen who pays taxes on something like $100,000 worth of property remarked seriously a few days ago: 'If the commissioners should decide that it was necessary to increase my taxes 50 per cent. tomorrow morning, I would make no protest whatever, but would pay the increase without a murmur. Of course, I'm not inviting any treatment of that sort, but I would feel that I was getting far more for my money than I ever got under the aldermanic regime, and I would not kick. The fact is, I would assume that the money I paid in taxes was being properly spent under the commission we now have, and I never felt that way about it before. I had rather pay 50 per cent. more and get fair returns than to pay what I've been paying with such returns as I got'."—Mobile Register.

WHITEVILLE NEWS NOTES.

Verdict in Favor of Seaboard—Crops and Drainage—Other Items.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., April 27.—Hon. John D. Bellamy won a big victory yesterday for the Seaboard Air Line in the case of John Graham, colored, who sued the road for $5,000 damages. It seems that Graham claimed that he was permanently injured by the train starting suddenly and throwing him down in the aisle of the car. He was undoubtedly badly hurt, but the defense claimed that the train was running only 15 miles an hour and Graham fell from exhaustion by travel. The case consumed the greater part of the day and was ably fought. The jury, after being out only some half an hour, returned a verdict for the railroad. Mr. Bellamy represented the Seaboard and was highly gratified at the victory. He says that Columbus county jurors are all right and corporations here can always count on getting justice in the courts.

Hon. J. A. Brown, of Chadbourn, was in town yesterday for a few hours. He says the work of cutting their drainage canals is progressing slowly, on account of the inability to get hands, but he thinks they will find no trouble when crops are laid by. Mr. Brown says he recently traveled extensively over Columbus county and never saw so much ditching being done. He thinks the work of drainage started at Chadbourn will now spread all over the country. Mr. Brown says the strawberry market is simply booming, and the high prices paid for fruit is putting a great deal of money in circulation. While the weevil is doing some destruction, the prospect is that a fine yield of berries will be made. The cold weather kept back the fruit from ripening, but shipments will now start up heavily and the gathering continue longer than usual.

Mr. J. A. Meader, formerly of Raleigh, N. C., will open a store at Artesia, in this county, and also a meat market in the Calder Bros'. building, next the News-Reporter office. Mr. Meader is originally from Bavaria and we are glad to welcome him to our town and county.

Work of improving the Court House square is rapidly progressing and Whiteville will soon have one of the handsomest little parks in the State.

Hon. J. D. Bellamy, of Wilmington, and others, who inspected the paving being put down in our town, say it is very fine. All the leading streets here will be paved. Property in Whiteville is already advancing in price.

FRENCH CAPTAIN KILLED?

Reported Victim in Moroccan War—Troops to Fez.

Tangier, April 27.—Rumors are current here that Capt. Bremond, in command of a relief column marching to Fez, has been killed. There is no confirmation of this report.

London, April 28.—No confirmation of Capt. Bremond's death has reached London. A special wireless message from Rabat to Tangier yesterday said that Fez could hold out more than eight days and announced the starting of the first detachment of a French flying column, 1,000 strong, for Fez.

MRS. SULLIVAN'S TERRIBLE WEAKNESS

Was the Cause of Much Suffering, that Cardui, the Woman's Tonic Finally Relieved.

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POLITICAL COMMUNICATION.

Wilmington, N. C., April 27, 1911.

Editor Star:—I allow as how you must be getting all-fired riled on account of the many cards you are solicited to publish by voluntary contributors to your columns. With a scarehead, in addition to cards suspiciously similar appearing day to day in the local papers, the public is beginning to get tired of having news matter apparently crowded out to make space for "Citizen," "Observer," "Safety," "Watchful", "Vigilance," "Good Government," "Fair Play," "Ipse Dixit," "Hic Jacet," "Carpe Diem," "Sic Semper," "Pro Bono Publico," "Causus Belli," "Vox Populi," "Non Compus Mentis," et cetera. Please give us a rest.

Another thing that's getting real Twain-ish, in this campaign, is the repeated admonitions of certain Now-no-one-could-say-that about me! gentlemen, to the sovereign voter not to be bound by any ties or combinations, but rather to vote for the Man for the Place, which same cautioners afterwards do the flap-jack stunt and get out a whole ticket of their own which we are asked to support. Speaking of "Rings," Amalgamations and Politicians, it's the same old fable of the pot and kettle right over again. We mustn't under any circumstances, they would have us believe, vote for the Ring—that is to say, unless it is their Ring. Wilmington has long suffered from certain Citizen Fixits.

NUX VOMICA.

MISS DALY NEAR DEATH.

Daughter of Late "Copper King" is Seriously Ill.

St. Paul, Minn., April 27.—A special car on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road, with Miss Helen Daly, daughter of the late Marcus Daly, the "copper king" of Anaconda, Mont., on board, passed through St. Paul today, rushing the young woman to New York City where an operation will be performed which, it is hoped, will result in saving her life.

The utmost secrecy is maintained as to the nature of the young woman's ailment, but it is known that she is in a dangerous condition. Two physicians and several nurses are on the train.

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Office of the Treasurer.

Wilmington, N. C., April 20, 1911.

The Board of Directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company has declared two per cent. interest on the Certificates of Indebtedness of that company, payable at the office of the treasurer, at Wilmington, N. C., on and after May 1st, 1911. The transfer books are closed from the 20th day of April, 1911, to the 1st day of May, 1911, both inclusive.

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TWO DISTINGUISHED VISITORS

Hon. W. A. Prendergast and Mr. Chas. E. Meek, National Figures, to Visit Wilmington Today—Address in Academy.

This evening and tomorrow Wilmington will have the pleasure of entertaining two distinguished visitors, the Hon. W. A. Prendergast, comptroller of the City of New York, and Mr. Chas. E. Meek, until recently secretary-treasurer of the National Association of Credit Men, but now assistant cashier of the Fourth National Bank of New York and one of the best posted men on financial affairs and credits in the country.

These gentlemen come to Wilmington by invitation of the Wilmington Credit Men's Association and their visit is to be made an event of more than passing interest and importance in the commercial life of the city. They will reach the city this evening on the Atlantic Coast Line train from the North and will be entertained while here by the Credit Association at The Orton. The distinguished visitors will be met at the station upon the arrival of the train by President L. B. Rogers, of the Association; Secretary S. R. Keyes and Messrs. C. N. Evans, J. A. Taylor, Eduard Ahrens, Louis E. Hall and Louis Einstein, composing the Board of Directors of the Association. After being escorted to The Orton where they will have dinner, Mr. Prendergast will later be called for and will proceed to the Academy of Music where he will deliver a public address on "Municipal

HON. W. A. PRENDERGAST.

Government." This is a vital, absorbing topic just at present and it is believed that an immense audience will gather there to hear the distinguished visitor. Mr. Prendergast has recently attained considerable prominence in the government in New York by attacking Mayor Gaynor's charter bill and by a controversy with Hyde, the banker, and Andrew Carnegie. He is a live wire in any community and will be heard with much interest by the people of Wilmington at large. There will be no admission, but all who expect to attend should go to the Academy early in order that they may get seats.

Following the address at the Academy of Music, where Mr. Prendergast will be introduced by Mayor MacRae, he and Mr. Meek will be entertained by the Credit Association at a luncheon to be given in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce. Invitations have been given to members of the Association and it is likely that a large number of prominent business men of the city will be present to hear addresses by the visitors along credit lines. President Rogers, Secretary Keyes and others of the Association have worked very assiduously to prepare a fitting reception for the visitors and it is certain that they have succeeded in all their plans.

The visitors will remain in the city over Saturday and will be entertained for an automobile ride over some of the splendid macadam roads of New Hanover and on a boat trip

MR. CHAS. E. MEEK.

about the harbor on the government steamer Mercur, which has been kindly tendered the committee by Capt. Earl I. Brown. They will return to their homes in New York tomorrow evening.

Comptroller Prendergast was born in New York City, receiving his education in the public and parochial schools. As a boy he entered the employ of Jas. G. Johnson & Co., as door-boy and when he left that employment he was in charge of the credit department of the firm. He was the second secretary of the National Association of Credit Men and was the first secretary of the New York Credit Men's Association. He early became interested in political affairs and after being defeated as a candidate for Congress was elected register of King's County by a vote larger than any other candidate on his ticket, with the exception of nominees for judicial positions. In this office he wrought many great reforms, one of which was the turning in to the City Treasury of the interest paid by banks on funds deposited. Before the expiration of his term he was nominated for Comptroller and was elected by the largest majority ever given a candidate by the voters of New York, not excepting Theodore Roosevelt. The office he now occupies is second to none in the United States, excepting the Presidency. He is the financial officer of the City of New York and as a member of the Board of Estimates and Appropriations, plays an important part in the city's affairs.

Mr. Meek is probably the best known in credit circles throughout the country and has just rounded out his seventh year as secretary-treasurer of the National Association of Credit Men. Prior to that time he was in charge of the credit department of the National Lead Co., and while occupying the latter position was at one time president of the New York Credit Men's Association. It is largely through the work of Mr. Meek that the National Association of Credit Men has reached its present scope and usefulness. Mr. Meek has been prominent as a promoter of legislation favorable to credit men and was in the front rank of the recent fight for reforms in the New York bankruptcy laws. Mr. Meek's connection with the Fourth National Bank is one of the most important posts in the financial circles of the country and he will be heard with much interest by Wilmington business men.

REWARD FOR ELECTION FRAUD RECORDS.

The Law against the use of money in Elections in Wilmington is very stringent.

It is unlawful to pay or receive money, or anything of value for votes, for influence, or for work in Elections. It is a violation of the law to offer to pay for another person's time spent in Election work. it is unlawful to promise or to accept any office or position as a compensation for your vote, influence, time or support.

A fund of $1,000.00 has been placed in my hands to be used in the interest of a clean, fair vote, and I offer a reward of $100 to any one who will submit evidence sufficient to convict for any violation of the Election Laws in the coming Election.

WALTER G. MacRAE, Mayor.

PRESSING NEED OF PORT.

No Accommodation For Vessels — Step Backward in Progress.

An observant citizen—one who has the best interest of the city at heart—remarked yesterday that among all the talk of a greater port development, few have taken note of the fact that a step has actually been taken backward in the marine railway facilities that are offered here. Formerly vessels of ordinary draught could be hauled out here and necessary repairs could be made, but now there appears an almost absolute lack of facilities of this kind here and the citizen who called the newspaper man's attention to the absence of these accommodations, expressed the hope that something would be done to take care of at least the local patronage that would most certainly be given to a home enterprise of the kind.

For more than three-quarters of a century there have been adequate facilities here for hauling out boats of from 100 to 600 tons. Only a few years ago boats from Georgetown came to Wilmington to be hauled out on the railway. Only yesterday the little passenger teamer Madeleine, of the Harper lines, had to go to Georgetown to have her bottom painted. It is estimated by those who know that from $50,000 to $75,000 worth of work has had to be carried to other ports from the Cape Fear river in the past 12 months for this necessary work. Capt. Brown, of the U. S. Engineer's Department, has had to send his boats to Jacksonville, Newport News and Baltimore; Messrs. Stone & Co., to Brunswick, Ga.; the Diamond Steamboat & Wrecking Co., to Brunswick; the Harper Line Steamers to Charleston and Georgetown, and the Hammer Lumber Co., to Newbern. Yet this port is the gateway of North Carolina! The facilities ought to be provided here. The earnest hope is expressed that they will be provided at no very distant day.

BELLEVUE CEMETERY CO.

Annual Meeting of Lot Owners Yesterday Evening—Officers.

The annual meeting of the lot owners of Bellevue Cemetery Co., was held last evening at 8 o'clock at the office of the secretary and treasurer, Mr. Walter E. Yopp, No. 211 Princess street. Some time was spent in hearing the various annual reports, which show that the cemetery is now in better financial and physical condition than ever before and that the outlook for the new year is most encouraging.

The following directors were unanimously elected for the ensuing year: Messrs. H. A. Decover, G. W. Bornemann, G. W. Linder, S. G. Hall, J. Carmer Davis, John A. Everett, J. O. Brown and William Simpson. Following the meeting of the lot owners, the directors met and elected officers as follows: President, H. A. Decover; Vice President, G. W. Bornemann; Secretary and Treasurer, Walter E. Yopp; Superintendent, J. H. King.

DIED SUDDENLY ON STREET.

Negro Fell at Front and Princess and Expired in Few Minutes.

Charles Nixon, a negro about 30 years of age, died last night about 11 o'clock at Front and Princess streets from a hemorrhage. He fell about the middle of Princess street and when passersby rushed to him much blood was noticed on the pavement and at first the opinion was that he had injured himself in falling but it developed that he had had a hemorrhage. The ambulance was called but the man was dead before it arrived. He never spoke after he fell.

The negro, it was stated, had been sick for some time and was recently in the hospital. He worked at a negro restaurant on South Second street and was probably on his way home when overcome.

Little Negro Before Recorder.

One lone defendant faced the Recorder yesterday, a little negro arrested for jumping on and off of trains while switching. Recorder Furlong turned the youthful offender over to his mother who agreed to administer the proper punishment.

Mingle with the crowds that enjoy themselves at the Grand today. **

WILMINGTON BAPTIST UNION

Between Fifty and Sixty Delegates Expected—First Session Will be Held This Morning—Will Last Through Sunday.

Wilmington Baptist Union will meet this morning at 10 o'clock at Brooklyn Baptist church and the sessions will continue through Sunday. Several delegates have already arrived but the majority of them will reach the city today.

This session of the Union is being looked forward to with much interest and it is expected that there will be an unusually good attendance. At least 50 delegates are expected and they will represent the 36 churches composing the Union in the counties of New Hanover, Pender, Duplin and Onslow and several visitors will be here from Brunswick. Total membership of the churches composing the Wilmington Union is 4,000.

An interesting programme has been arranged for the different sessions. Next Sunday morning the sermon at Brooklyn Baptist church will be preached by Rev. R. E. Peele, pastor of the Baptist church at Burgaw, and on Sunday night by Rev. A. C. Chaffin, pastor of the church at Greenville Sound.

The programme for today is as follows:

10:10 to 11:00 A. M.—Devotional meeting, consisting of songs, prayers and short talks on "Waiting for Power."

11 A. M.—Introductory sermon by Rev. G. H. Hall, the new pastor of Southside church. It is expected that Rev. Mr. Hall will be heard by a very large congregation as this will be his first opportunity that many Baptists have had of hearing of him.

Two very interesting addresses will be delivered during the afternoon, one by Rev. R. E. Peele, of Burgaw, and the other by Rev. F. A. Liles, of Jacksonville, N. C. In the evening Rev. J. H. Foster, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, will preach.

A cordial invitation is extended to every one to attend the meetings of the Union.

Praises Mrs. Toon's Song.

The song "President's Greeting," written by Mrs. Wm. P. Toon, of this city, and which was presented to President Taft, now appears on souvenir postcards, which are designed most attractively, giving a picture of the President, who spoke most complimentarily of the song, and the Capitol at Washington. In a recent letter received by Mrs. Toon from Hon. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction, he endorsed it in the following terms: "I appreciate the patriotic spirit of your beautiful poem and take pleasure in commending it to all members of schools of the land." The first lot of postcards have been received and are now for sale at book stores and elsewhere.

FAIR DEAL SUGGESTED.

The Morning Star, City.

Dear Sir:—Within sight of the goal and shouts of victory ringing in one's ears, developments of the past few days have caused us to look up, and take notice.

The cry raised that the people should decide the question as to who would best represent them in the new form of government, that they ought to think and act for themselves, seems to be after all, merely a "cry" and nothing more.

The "cry" about which we have heard so much of late is evidently still unbroken, simply changing hands, whether the new owners will be better than the old, only time can tell. Ten good representative citizens, are the choice of the community, doubts freely expressed, relative to their capabilities, but all agree, that a good and wise selection has been made, conducive to the welfare of the city. Within the past few hours, we are notified, the problem has been worked out, the question has been settled, we no longer need to puzzle over the choice of selection, the slate has been written, the men selected, although the election does not come off until May 1st. Pay your money gentlemen and walk up, another case of the blind following the blind.

The writer has no acquaintance with any of the candidates, except through the public print, belongs to no party, cares nothing if all intoxicants were swept forever away, but in justice to an intelligent public, such as we boast of in the city of Wilmington, tell us why such men as "Tiencken," "Merritt," "P. Q. Moore," and "West," are made scapegoats. What have these men done that makes them ineligible as city officials, and in what qualification and fitness do the other excel in; why are these four men disqualified, we have a right to know, they aspire to be public officers, and are open to public criticism. If there's anything wrong with them we don't want them. If not then be consistent and give them a fair deal "consistency thou art a jewel." T. K.

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SHIPMENTS ARE STILL LIGHT

Less Than 100 Cars of Berries So Far this Season Against More Than Eight Hundred Last Year.

While the prices received for strawberries during the present season have been exceptionally high, comparatively few cars of the fruit have gone forward compared to previous years and growers now fear that the number of cars estimated may be cut short by reason of the lateness of the season.

Not including yesterday's shipment, only 83 cars of berries have gone from eastern Carolina so far against 808 cars up to this date last year, a falling off of 725 cars. Wednesday 18 cars were shipped and for the same day last year total for the day was 135. It is realized by shippers that the shipments will have to be unusually heavy during the next few weeks if the estimate of 1,000 to 1,400 is reached.

Those who are familiar with the handling of the crop and also the conditions in other sections where berries are grown for the northern markets, say that the length of the season in eastern North Carolina does not depend upon how long there will be berries to ship but how long the price will hold up sufficiently to justify shipment. It is said that each year the season would be extended into June if prices received in May were paid but in the past this has not been the case and as a usual thing the season ends about May 20th. The length of the season, it is said, depends upon the backwardness of berries in the Norfolk section and on the eastern shore of Maryland. As a usual thing the shipments from the Norfolk belt start between May 10th and 15th and by the time the season there is in full swing Maryland berries are on the market, which puts an end to the shipments from North Carolina.

While full reports from the entire belt were not obtainable last night the shipment yesterday was expected to reach between 25 and 30 cars. Several cars went from the W. & W. road yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Floyd, district superintendent of the Armour Car Lines, in this city, returned on the late train last night from Chadbourn, where with Mr. L. H. Simmons, of the Independent Ice Co., he went yesterday to get a first-hand view of the situation in that territory. Mr. Floyd and Mr. Simmons took quite an extensive tour of the Chadbourn territory and Mr. Floyd said last night that he had no reason to revise his previous estimate of 900 cars of berries from the Chadbourn territory this season. The cold weather has not only greatly retarded the berry crop, but the dry weather has had the effect of keeping the fruit back. With a few days of Spring weather and a warm rain, he does not see why the movement should not reach old-time proportions about Monday and continue for ten days. Yesterday 25 cars were handled out of the Chadbourn territory. The prices continued high yesterday, berries having brought an average of $5 per crate on the platforms throughout the territory.

THIRD DEATH WITHIN WEEK.

C. D. Johnson Died Yesterday from Pneumonia—Lost Two Children.

With three loved ones called to that shore from whence no traveler returns within the course of one week, and a beloved child critically ill, Mrs. C. D. Johnson has suffered the most intense grief and has the heartfelt sympathy of the entire community. Yesterday morning her husband, Mr. C. D. Johnson, died after an illness of only a few days with pneumonia. Only last Saturday a little daughter three years of age was laid to rest, and the following Monday another child six months of age. A third child is reported as being very ill.

The children had whooping cough and about ten days ago the three-year-old child developed meningitis. This disease was also the cause of the death of the six-months' old infant. Mr. Johnson was down the street last Friday to see about the funeral arrangements for his little daughter and when he returned home noticed that he had a severe cold. This quickly developed into pneumonia and he grew rapidly worse, death resulting at an early hour this morning.

Mr. Johnson was 40 years of age and was employed in the capacity of clerk in a store in the northern part of the city. He was held in high esteem by those who knew him. He was a native of Columbus county. The funeral will be held from the residence, corner of Fourth and Red Cross streets, this morning at 10 o'clock.

WORK ON BRIDGE FENDER.

Structure Over the Northeast River Will Soon Be Completed.

Improvements to the railroad bridge over Northeast river, which includes the adding of a fender and other changes, which will enable large steamers to pass through with safety, will soon be completed. The improvements were made upon the recommendation of the shipping interests at the port. In the past there has been some difficulty for steamers to pass through the draw with safety, but with the completion of the fender, the same danger will not be experienced. The bridge is owned by the Wilmington Bridge Company, which is under the supervision of the Seaboard and Coast Line railroads. The improvements to the bridge have been urged for some time past.

Remains Interred in Oakdale.

The funeral of Miss Cornelia Alderman was held yesterday from the residence, No. 611 Grace street, and was conducted by Rev. J. H. Foster, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church. Remains were laid to rest in Oakdale. Following acted as pall-bearers: Honorary, Dr. A. M. Baldwin and Dr. Chas. T. Harper; active, Messrs. N. M. McEachern, B. T. Hopkins, John R. Hanby, A. W. Watson, A. S. Winstead and Dr. B. J. Willingham.

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GUARDIAN NOT NEEDED.

Mr. Henry Pridgen Declared Competent to Look After Business.

After remaining in a private sanitarium in Asheville for several months, Mr. Henry Pridgen, who was declared incapable of attending to his affairs by a jury, and Mr. Charles N. Evans was appointed his guardian, was yesterday found to be capable of looking after his property, which makes a guardian unnecessary. Mr. Pridgen stated that he expected to visit in Pender county where he has relatives and will probably locate there.

Several months ago Mr. Pridgen came here from California and deposited his money in the Southern National bank, the same amounting to several thousand dollars. He went to Mr. Evans and desired him to look after his affairs and it was deemed best to have a guardian named. Mr. Pridgen was greatly improved by his stay in the mountain city.

Transfers of Real Estate.

The following deeds were placed on record yesterday:

Leighton L. Boon and wife to S. Abramowitz, for $25 and other valuable consideration, lot 40x165 feet in size in the eastern line of Fourth street, 198 feet south of Brunswick. Emily Bridgers, commissioner, to Joseph W. Yates, trustee, for the sum of $3,200, lot 150x330 feet at the intersection of the southern line of Orange street with the western line of Eleventh. Herbert Steljes to Mary A. Bertha and Albert Steljes, for $100 and other valuable consideration, lot 66x82 feet in the eastern line of Seventh street, 132 feet south of Queen. Mrs. Katie Corbett and Nonie F. King to Robert Coston, for $85, lot 10 in Block 12 of the official plan of Love Grove.

"Don't Be An Old Maid, Molly."
Illustrated song by Mr. Baldwin. Hear him at the Grand. **

Body Carried to Mars Bluff.

The remains of Mr. John S. Holland, who passed away suddenly Wednesday morning, were carried to Mars Bluff yesterday and laid to rest in the family burying ground. When the remains were carried to the station the following served as pall-bearers: Messrs. W. A. Yarborough, A. L. Kelly, T. N. Simmons, D. A. Boon, A. T. Blake, Jr., and J. S. Hawkins.

A CARD.

To the Public:—I wish to assure you that the statement that is being circulated by some of my friends that I am a "Sewerage Candidate" is absolutely false. I am in no way connected with the Sewerage Company and never have been, in any capacity. I feel that I could act as impartially on the sewerage question as on any other and if I am elected Councilman will certainly work for the best interest of the City.

apr 26-4t B. A. MERRITT.

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SOCIETY

Mrs. B. S. Mills and little son, B. S. Jr., are visiting relatives in Durham.

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Miss Rosa Lorenzo returned Wednesday from a pleasant visit to friends at Newberlin, N. C.

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Mrs. Gaston D. Phares, of Jacksonville, Fla., is spending a few days in the city with relatives and friends.

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The last meeting of the Music Department of Sorosis will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock, in the club rooms in the Masonic Temple. All members are urged to be present and visiting members are welcome.

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There will be a meeting of the Home Science Department of Sorosis this afternoon at 4 oclock in the Library rooms at the City Hall. A full attendance of members is requested as a number of important subjects will be discussed.

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Burgaw, N. C., April 27.—A wedding of much interest to their many friends and relatives, not only in Pender county, but in Wilmington where the groom lived for the greater part of his life, was solemnized three miles from Burgaw at the home of the bride's father, Mr. R. W. Collins, yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock, the contracting parties being Miss Martha J. Collins and Mr. J. B. Barnes. Rev. W. M. Sikes, pastor of Burgaw Presbyterian church, performed the ceremony in the presence of the family of the bride and a few relatives, the wedding being a quiet affair. Immediately after the ceremony the couple left for their future home in St. Augustine, Fla., stopping over in Wilmington for a day. They have the best wishes of their many friends not only here but in different sections of the State.

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The Star has with the compliments of the Senior Class an invitation to the commencement exercises of Elizabeth College, Charlotte, N. C., May 14th to 16th, inclusive. On the opening day of commencement the baccalaureate sermon will be preached at 10 A. M. by Rev. L. A. Fox, D. D., and the address before the Y. W. C. A., will be at 8 P. M. by the Rev. A. W. Plyler. On the following day at noon the alumnae meeting will be held, followed at 3:30 P. M. by the art exhibit and reception and the concert at 8:30 P. M. On May 16th, clas day exercises will be held at 10 A. M., and the graduating exercises at 8:30 P. M., the speaker being Rev. S. C. Mitchell, D. D. On the evening of May 18th at 8:30 P. M. the alumnae banquet will close the exercises for the week. Elizabeth College has just concluded one of the most prosperous years in its history and the commencement exercises this year promise to be unusually interesting.

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LITERATURE DEPARTMENT HAD PLEASANT MEETING.

The Literature Department of North Carolina Sorosis yesterday afternoon held its last meeting of the season in the library room of the Masonic Temple, the occasion having been one of the most pleasant in the life of the organization. The department has been engaged the past season in the study of German Literature and yesterday afternoon's programme was featured by a brilliant and scholarly address by the Rev. W. A. Snyder, pastor of St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church, who was heard with rare interest and pleasure by the ladies of this important branch of Sorosis.

During the afternoon there was rendered an attractive programme in keeping with the spirit of the meeting, the music and readings being largely by German composers and authors. The programme included:

Sonata-Mozart .....Miss Katie Foard
Jewel Song—Saust ..... Mrs. E. K. Bryan
"O, Thou Sublime, Sweet Evening Star"—Tannhauser ..... Mrs. Walter Love.
Reading—From Schiller's "Mary Stuart".....Miss Elizabeth Price
German Poem—Peffel .....Miss Elizabeth Grossman
Friendship—German Poem .....Mrs. S. Mendelsohn

All the numbers were especially pleasing and admirably rendered, the address by Mr. Snyder, which concluded the programme, being spoken of by the ladies in attendance as one of the real features of the season's work by the Literature Department.

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Chapel Hill, April 2.—Tonight in the little Chapel of the Cross, Miss Dora MacRae became the bride of Mr. George Douglass Elliott, of Linden, N. C. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore white satin over white taffeta silk, en traine, trimmed with pearls, chrystals passementerie and fringe, and carried brides roses with ferns. Her veil was of white tulle. The maid of honor was Mrs. John C. Lamb, of Wilson, who wore white batise and carried lilies of the valley. The little flower girl was Miss Caroline MacRae, of Winston-Salem, a niece of the bride, who carried a basket of roses and lilies of the valley. The bride's maids were Misses Louise Venable, Cantey Venable, May Hume, Christine McIntosh, Helen Hume, Nannie Smith, Elizabeth Bain, Alice Noble, Lucy Harris, Randolph Archer, Nellie Barbee, and Miss Annie Plummer Nicholson, of Washington, N. C. The best man was Mr. Henry E. Williams, the other attendants of the groom were Messrs. Don MacRae, brother of the bride, Kenneth Burgwyn, James W. Morris, all university students, and Mr. Albert Stewart, of Fayetteville. All these young men are members of the local chapter of the A. T. O. fraternity. Miss Willie Smith, of Durham, played wedding marches from Mendelssohn and Tannhauser. Rev. Richard W. Hogue, rector of the parish, performed the ceremony. The church was decorated profusely in wild flowers and potted plants. After the solemn Episcopal service at the church a reception was tendered the bridal party at the A. T. O. fraternity hall. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Laurence MacRae, of Winston-Salem; Mr. and Mrs. Henry London, of Pittsboro; Mesdames F. B. Smith and I. B. Hill, of Durham, and Mr. Cameron MacRae, of Greenville, S. C.

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Jacksonville, Fla., April 27.—A beautiful home wedding was solemnized by Rev. Dr. Boone, of the Christian church, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Reaves, on Eighth and East streets, Tuesday, April 18, at 6 P. M., the contracting parties being Miss Nelle Cargile Reaves and Mr. Conrad William Stonebanks. The spacious reception hall parlor and dining room were thrown open and profusely decorated with potted planes and cut flowers from the florists. An elevation was built at the end of the parlor and covered in white for the minister to stand upon. Just in front of that was an arch festooned in ivy for the bride and groom to stand under. Inside the arch were six little wedding bells concealing a tiny little electric light in each. The other lights were also made to represent bells. Mrs. Irving Satchwell sang "My Dear" as a prelude to the ceremony. Dr. Davenport Kerrison was at the piano and played the wedding marches. Little Miss Vera Reaves, niece of the bride, was the ring bearer with Master John Richardson, costumed to carry out the pink and green effect of the wedding. Miss Lillian Reaves, sister of the bride and maid of honor came next, beautifully costumed in a simple but pretty costume of pale pink Duchesse satin and carrying a lovely bouquet of pink carnations and ferns tied with tulle. Mrs. John Nathan Richardson, of Laurens, S. C., was matron of honor and was joined in the hall by Mr. R. M. Reaves. Her gown was a hand-painted creation of messaline net and pearls, her bouquet being white carnations. The bride entered on the arm of her father and was gowned handsomely in Dutchesse satin, soft silk marquiesette and pearls. The veil was caught at the side with pearls and lilies of the valley while her ornament was a handsome diamond brooch, the gift of the groom. Her bouquet was of bride's roses and ferns. The groom had as his best man, Mr. Irving Satchwell. Mrs. Geo. Dillon received the ladies and Mr. John S. Reaves the gentlemen. An elaborate reception and luncheon followed the ceremony, Miss Vera Reaves and Master John Richardson assisted in serving the refreshments.

BELOVED MINISTER DEAD.

Rev. Archibald MacFayden Died Yesterday at Clarkton.

Rev. Archibald MacFayden, one of the most beloved ministers of the Presbyterian church in eastern North Carolina, passed away yesterday afternoon at his home at Clarkton after an illness of several months. Heart disease was the immediate cause of his death.

The news of Rev. Mr. MacFayden's death will be learned with the deepest sorrow by the hundreds who knew and loved him in Bladen and adjoining counties where he had spent his entire life as a shepherd watching over his flock. He was a man highly esteemed in the ministry.

Rev. Mr. MacFayden was 75 years of age and was a native of Fayetteville. He was educated in the schools of his home town and at the University of North Carolina, and then attended the Union Theological Seminary. At the outbreak of the Civil War he went to the front and served as a lieutenant in the 5th North Carolina cavalry.

He had served in the ministry at Elizabethtown, Lumberton, Beth Car and South River, and for the past 30 years has been the pastor of the Presbyterian church at Clarkton.

Rev. Mr. MacFayden is survived by three sons, Dr. Paul MacFayden, of Randleman; Rev. Henry MacFayden, of Clarendon, Texas, and A. A. MacFayden, of Waynesville; and four daughters, Mrs. M. McKinnon, of Poulan, Ga.; Miss Allie MacFayden, of New York City, and Misses Mirriam and Gertrude MacFayden, of Clarkton.

The funeral will be held at Clarkton this afternoon at 3 o'clock and Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, and Rev. A. D. McClure, D. D., pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, this city, will go to Clarkton today to conduct the services.

Clarkton, N. C., April 27.—Clarkton is in great sorrow over the death of Rev. Mr. McFayden, which occurred at 3:30 P. M. today, surrounded by his devoted family and friends. He was born April 6th, 1836, united with Longstreet church, Fayttteville Presbytery when 12 years of age. He was dedicated at baptism to the gospel ministry by consecrated Christian parents. He entered the Sophomore class at the University in 1859 and was graduated with the degree of B. A. with high honor. He served there years in the Confederate Cavalry, first as a private and afterwards as a lieutenant. He was captured at Hagerstown and imprisoned 23 months on Johnson Island where he began the study of theology. He completed the full course in Union Theological Seminary in two years, was licensed by Fayetteville Presbytery April 11th 1868 and ordained by Wilmington Presbytery April 16th, 1870. Bethcar was the first church he served. He has been pastor of Clarkton church 34 years continuously He was stated clerk of Wilmington Presbytery 26 years and one month. He resigned at the last meeting of Presbytery at South River. Two months after his license he was happily married to Miss Miriam E. Cromartie. Seven children blessed the union. All are members of the church. He was a consecrated preacher, a loving pastor and a faithful presbyter. The funeral services will be conducted at 3 P. M. Friday by Revs. Drs. Wells and McClure, of Wilmington.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The schooner Herbert D. Maxwell, Capt. Quillen, cleared yesterday for Chisholms Island, S. C., where she wil receive cargo for northern markets.

Believe me, three great pictures at the Grand today. **

..Theatrical..

When George Bernard Shaw wrote his "Arms and the Man" from which the new Viennese opera, "The Chocolate Soldier," which comes to the Academy May 6th, for matinee and night, was adapted, he intended to satirize the methods of modern warfare and something of its bombast and bluster, but in the comic opera form, while the same story is very much in evidence, it given in a heartier spirit of humor, with many more laughs for the audience. As in the book, "The Chocolate Soldier," is a member of the Servian army, who had far rather flirt and play for his cartridge box and throws them away that he may fill his box with chocolate creams. For this reason, Nadina, the daughter of the leader of his enemies, laughs at him as a "chocolate soldier"—or as the German put it—a "tin soldier"; a laughable imitation.

Grand Theatre.

It is hard to write on nearly the same topic every day of how the Grand is doing and what enjoyment and pleasure the Grand aas always in store for one. The Grand has only been opened since the 24th of December, not six months, but during that time the Grand has made many a visitor to this place enjoy themselves in every sense of the word. The pictures at the Grand are amusing the children so that they actually cry for it like they do for Castoria. It has always been the custom of the Grand that just as soon as the pictures are received the operator examines every one before the show is opened in order that no stops or delays are made in case of a defect. Today three of the greatest pictures will be shown made and released by the best companies. The Grand's famous singer, Mr. Baldwin, will warble new illustrated ballad, "Don't be an Old Maid Mollie." a great hit song. The orchestra will, as usual, select music for the occasion. Get the habit and come to the Grand. Doors open at 2 P. M. and continue until 11 P. M.

The Crystal Palace.

"An Unforeseen Introduction," "A Day of Storm," and "Neath Southern Skies," are three excellent pictures on the Palace screen today. The "California Nightingale," Miss Sadie O'Neil, will sing several new songs, including "The Garden of Roses," for which there have been several requests. Miss O'Neil is the best soprano singer that has been heard here for some time and she will certainly make a hit in this selection, which has become so popular recently. The funniest thing of the season is a Dutch act by Mr. Billy Osman; it is not a laugh now and then, but one continuous scream from start to finish closing with a lively clog. The Shrier boys continue to be a very entertaining feature in their four rounds of boxing, the youngsters have fairly mastered the art and present a lively encounter such as is seldom seen on the stage. Matinees 3:30 to 5:30 and regular night performances.

At the Bijou.

When one stops to think it is not even surprising that the Bijou is so popular with the people of Wilmington and that this attractive moving picture theatre is crowded both afternoon and night. In the first place, the Bijou is cool and airy and is modernly equipped in every way, the machinery for displaying the pictures being of the latest and most expensive make, and, in the second place, not only is the Bijou presenting the most up-to-date and costly pictures, and three new reels every day, but is constantly alert and ready to add new features. The theatre has one of the best illustrated song singers in Mr. Frank Bank, who is a Wilmington boy, but whose praise is sung loudest by strangers who visit the Bijou. Today the Bijou is to offer another whopping big and select programme. There will, of course, be an entire change in every department and the new bill opens with the very first matinee performance this afternoon.

Joyland.

Today will be a High School day at Joyland, and the High School orchestra will be on hand to dispense music all afternoon and night. An exceptionally strong bill of pictures will be presented and Mr. Reilly will sing two song hits at each performance. It may be said that the High School orchestra consists of nine pieces and every one is well trained with his part of the programme. They have the highest praise of every one who has been fortunate to hear them. The price for today only will be 10c.

"Two Old Confederates."

Within the past few years Polk Miller entertainments of the sort to be given here on Tuesday evening have come to mean to Southerners something more than a mere evening's amusement.

The original, and even now, the chief object of Mr. Miller is to entertain his audiences; but almost unconsciously to them as to himself a serious side to his concerts have begun to develop and to be more and more in the minds of those who delight to laugh at his jokes. Before many years there will be left none who can, from actual experience, tell of that heoric age of Dixie to which Southerners look back with never-failing interest and pride. After that there will be nothing but the books, and the younger generations will necessarily have to turn to them for what those more fortunate now get from the lips of those about whom the books will be written. It is probably the realization of the fact that they are enjoying an opportunity which may never come again that has brought big audiences out in every city that Mr. Miller has visited thus far on his present trip. He is recognized to be the best delineator of Southern plantation life who has ever appeared on the platform—a Confederate veteran and a gentleman of the old school.

The concert here will be of the characteristic Miller quality. With the chief performer will be Col. Tom Booker, another veteran, and the famous "Old South Quartette," composed of four Virginia negroes who can sing the familiar plantation airs as no professional can ever hope to sing them. There will be songs, stories, and banjo selections, the whole making up a delightfully unique programme presenting a faithful picture of "auld lang syne."

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PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. H. A. Pemberton, of Fayetteville, is in the city.

—Mr. U. L. Barrett, of Charlotte, is stopping at The Orton.

—Mr. John F. McNair, a prominent business man of Laurinburg, and Maj. A. J. McKinnon, of Maxton, spent yesterday in Wilmington.

—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Cole, of 314 South Fifth street, will be grieved to learn of the critical illness of their son, Madison. The child is very low with pneumonia and grave fears are felt for his recovery.

MRS. GROTGEN DEAD.

Widow of Late George Grotgen Passed Away Yesterday Morning.

Many friends will hear with sorrow of the death of Mrs. Annie C. Grotgen, widow of the late George Grotgen, a woman held in the highest esteem by all in the range of her acquaintance. Mrs. Grotgen passed away at 9:30 o'clock yesterday morning at her home, Ninth, between Dock and Orange streets, after an illness of some time.

Mrs. Grotgen was born in Weldorf, Hanover, Germany, and was 68 years of age at the time of her death. She was preceded to the grave by her husband several years ago and is now survived by three step-children, Mrs. Annie C. Tienoken, Mr. George Grotgen, Mr. William Grotgen and one niece in Germany, Mrs. Annie Breadendeck, all of whom have the sympathy of many friends in their bereavement. The funeral will be conducted from the residence at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon; thence to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church at 4 o'clock and to Oakdale cemetery where the interment will take place.

Special Meeting of Aldermen.

A special meeting of the board of Aldermen has been called for today at 12 o'clock to elect a tax lister, Mr. T. O. Bunting having stated that he will not be able to fill the position this year. It is understood that there are several candidates for the position.

DIED.

GROTGEN—At here home in this city, Thursday, January 27th, 1911, **MRS. ANNIE C. GROTGEN,** widow of the late George Grotgen, in the 68th year of her age.

Funeral this (Friday) afternoon from the residence, Ninth, between Dock and Orange streets, at 3:30 o'clock; thence to St. Paul's Lutheran church at 4 o'clock. Interment in Oakdale cemetery. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

DIED.

HENDERSON—At her home, 716 Orange street, at 5 o'clock P. M., on Thursday, April 27th, 1911, **SLIVIA HENDERSON,** aged 68 years.

Funeral this (Friday) afternoon at 3 o'clock from Central Baptist church; interment in Pine Forest cemetery.

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1 "E. M. F." Surrey, repainted, top, shield and bumper $650.00
1 Warren Roadster, 1911, two passenger, large tank on rear, shield, top, tire irons, extra casing. Practically new $1,150.00
1 Overland Roadster, with rumble seat $600.00
1 Overland Touring Car. Detachable Tonneau, top and shield $650.00
1 Reo two-cylinder Touring Car, 1909, good condition $300.00
1 Maxwell "AA", used slightly as demonstrator, top and rumble seat, nearly new $500.00
1 Reo two-cylinder Roadster, top and rumble seat, good condition $300.00
1 Maxwell 30-H. P. four-cylinder Roadster with top, shield and rumble seat, repainted $650.00

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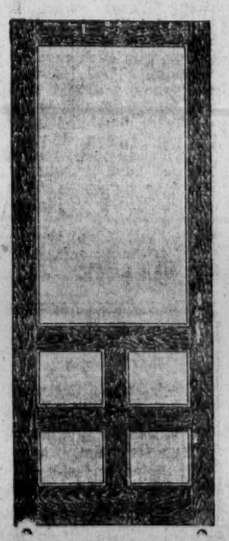

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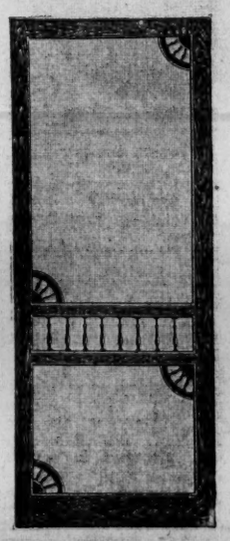

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET VERY NERVOUS

Irregular as Result of Heavy Realization Following Bullish Excitement of Yesterday—Features of the Day.

New York, April 27.—The cotton market was very nervous and irregular during today's trading as a result of heavy realizing following the bullish excitement of yesterday and official weather forecasts indicating rather better weather in the South tomorrow, except for unsettled conditions and further showers or rain in parts of the Eastern belt. The close was steady on near months, but easy on distant positions, with prices showing a net loss of from 6 to 16 points.

The market opened steady at a decline of 7 points to an advance of one point, near months being influenced by rather disappointing cables and smaller English spot sales, while late positions reflected a wet early weather map, and the entire list soon sold up on a renewal of yesterday's buying movement, which carried old crop positions up to or a couple of points over the closing figures of last night, while the new crop sold about 5 to 6 points net higher and into new high ground for the movement. Realizing was exceedingly active on this advance and following the Western forecast indicating generally fair weather in the southwest tomorrow, and suggesting that the Gulf storm was working northward through the Mississippi Valley, out of the belt, the market broke quite sharply. Old crop positions led this decline, selling between 18 and 19 points net lower, and it looked as if some of the scattering old crop longs were transferring their interests to the new crop which sold only about eight points lower. The Eastern belt forecast calling for unsettled weather with showers or rains, and private predictions that allow area shown in the extreme West would work down into the Western belt by Saturday, caused a renewal of the buying movement during the middle of the day, and sent prices back to nearly the closing figures of last night, but in the later trading renewed weakness developed as a result of private reports of increased acreage, continued realizing and selling for a turn.

The close was at practically the lowest point of the day on the new crop months, but July was relatively firm in the late session, owing to prospects for bullish weekend figures, a feeling that May notices will be promptly stopped tomorrow, and buying by spot peoples.

Receipts today, 4,466 bales, against 7,795 last week, and 8,104 last year. For the week, 40,000, against 51,933 last week, and 68,172 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 630, against 2,989 last year.

Spot closed quiet, 10 points lower; middling uplands, 15.25; middling Gulf, 15.50; no sales.

Futures opened steady and closed barely steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
April				14.97
May	15.13	15.15	14.96	15.03
June				15.12
July	15.22	15.27	15.07	15.19
August	14.92	15.02	14.83	14.84
September	13.78	13.85	13.69	13.68
October	13.27	13.36	13.14	13.15
November				13.08
December	13.21	13.26	13.03	13.05
January	13.19	13.23	13.08	13.02
March	13.29	13.28	13.15	13.14

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 15¼; net receipts, 1,275; gross receipts, 1,275; sales, 120; stock, 69,931; continent, 7,430; coastwise, 1,861.

New Orleans—Steady, 15 3-16; net receipts, 630; gross receipts, 630; sales, 1,300; stock, 93,770.

Mobile—Net receipts, 105; gross receipts, 105; stock, 5,509.

Savannah—Steady, 15¼; net receipts, 818; gross receipts, 818; sales, 1,227; stock, 42,429; coastwise, 200.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 81; gross receipts, 81; stock, 12,712.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 386; gross receipts, 386; stock, 7,534.

Norfolk—Quiet, 15¼; net receipts, 590; gross receipts, 590; sales, 284; stock, 12,448; coastwise, 506.

Baltimore—Nominal, 15¼; tsock, 4,691.

New York—Quiet, 15.25; net receipts, 339; gross receipts, 1,444; stock, 163,877; coastwise, 119.

Boston—Quiet, 15.25; net receipts, 150; gross receipts, 818; stock, 11,866.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 15.50; stock, 2,716.

Port Townsend—Net receipts, 92; gross receipts, 92; Japan, 92.

Minor Ports—Stock, 2,225.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 4,466; Great Britain, 9; continent, 7,430; Japan, 92; stock, 429,798.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 36,480; Great Britain, 5,962; France, 6,150; continent, 33,149; Japan, 92.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,092,624; Great Britain, 3,079,928; France, 868,720; continent, 2,720,926; Japan, 143,582; Mexico, 1,825.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Firm, 15 3-16; net receipts, 1,117; gross receipts, 1,117; shipments, 1,377; sales, 480; stock, 52,290.

Augusta—Steady, 15⅜; net receipts, 32; gross receipts, 32; shipments, 790; sales, 331; stock, 30,184.

Memphis—Firm, 15¼; net receipts, 246; gross receipts, 872; shipments, 3,251; sales, 2,750; stock, 107,706.

St. Louis—Quiet, 15⅛; gross receipts, 476; shipments, 1,177; stock, 18,167.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 94; gross receipts, 94; shipments, 369; stock, 20,747.

Little Rock—Firm, 14; net receipts, 143; gross receipts, 143; shipments, 236; stock, 20,103.

Louisville—Firm, 15⅛.

Total today—Net receipts, 1,632; gross receipts, 2,734; shipments, 7,200; sales, 3,561; stock, 249,197.

THE GRAIN MARKET.

New York, April 27.—Favoring rains in Germany, France and the Argentine, as well as in the United States, today worked in the direction of lower prices for wheat. The close left the market ¼ to ⅝ under last night. In corn there was a net decline of 1/16@⅛ to ⅜@¾, and on oats a loss of ⅛ to ¼@⅝. At the final gong, hog products varied from last night's level to 17½@20 below.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 90¼@92; No. 3, red, 87@91; No. 2, hard, 90¼@93½; No. 3, hard, 87@91½; No. 1, northern, 1.01@1.03; No. 2, northern, 1.00@1.02; No. 3, northern, 99@1.01; No. 2, spring, 96@97; No. 3, spring, 92@97; velvet chaff, 88@97; durum, 82@89.

Corn—No. 2, 53@53¼; No. 2, white, 53¼@53½; No. 2, yellow, 53¼@53⅝; No. 3, 52½@52⅝; No. 3, white, 52½@52⅜; No. 3, yellow, 52½@53; No. 4, 51¼@51⅜; No. 4, white, 51¼@51⅝; No. 4, yellow, 51¼@52.

Oats—No. 2, 31¼@31⅜; No. 2, white, 33¼@33½; No. 3, white, 32½@33; No. 4, white, 32@32½; standard, 33@33¼.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	90	91⅜	89⅝	90¼
July	87½	87⅝	86¾	87
Sept	86¾	87	86⅛	86¼
Corn:				
May	52⅝	53	51⅜	51⅞
July	52¾	52¾	52	52⅜
Sept	53⅝	53⅞	52⅛	53
Oats:				
May	31⅝	31⅞	31⅜	31½
July	31⅝	32	31½	31½
Sept	31¾	32	31⅛	31½
Mess Pork, per barrel:				
July	15.10	15.70	14.97½	15.00
Lard, per 100 lbs:				
May	8.12½	8.12½	8.05	8.05
July	8.25	8.25	8.17½	8.17½
Sept	8.30	8.30	8.25	8.25
Short Ribs, per 100 lbs:				
May	8.30	8.30	8.15	8.20
July	8.20	8.20	8.10	8.12½
Sept	8.07½	8.07½	8.02½	8.02½

Kicked by a Mad Horse.

Samuel Birch, of Beetown, Wis., had a most narrow escape from losing his leg, as no doctor could heal the frightful sore that developed, but at last Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured it completely. Its the greatest healer of ulcers, burns, boils, eczema, scalds, cuts, corns, cold-stores, bruises and piles on earth. Try it. 25c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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List of Vessels Now in Port at Wilmington, N. C.

Steamers.

Knutsford (Br.), 2,489 tons, Richardson, Heide & Co.

Mancunia (Br.), 2,887 tons, Laing, Heide & Co.

Schooners.

Wm. Linthicum, 148 tons, Flowers, C. D. Maffitt.

Joel Cook, 319 tons, Ray, C. D. Maffitt.

Lottie R. Russell, 266 tons, James, C. D. Maffitt.

Richard E. C. Hartley, 398 tons, Falker, C. D. Maffitt.

Benefit, 229 tons, Potter, C. D. Maffitt.

Warren B. Potter, 341 tons, Hammett, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., April 27, 1911.

Atlantic Coast Line—386 bales coton; 4 casks spirits turpentine; 8 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

Schr. Geneva Moore—16 casks spirits turpentine; 139 barrels rosin.

Schr. Geo. Slover—3 casks spirits turpentine; 35 barrels rosin.

Total—386 bales cotton; 23 casks spirits turpentine; 436 barrels rosin; 8 barrels tar; 20 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, April 27.—Flour, steady, with a moderate local trade.

Rye Flour—Firm.

Corn Meal—Firm.

Buckwheat—Steady.

Barley—Firm.

Wheat—Irregular; No. 2, red, 93¾ elevator and 95¾ f.o.b. afloat; futures closed unchanged to ½c. net lower; May, 94; July, 93¾; September, 93.

Corn—Steady. Export, No. 2, new, 59½, nominal, f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed ¼c. net decline; May, 59¾; July, 59¾.

Oats—Easy. Standard white, 38¾; futures closed nominal.

Tallow—Steady.

Petroleum—Steady.

Rosin—Steady.

Turpentine—Easy; Machine Barrels, 78.

Molasses—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed steady, net 11 points higher to 7 points lower. Spot, quiet; Rio, No. 7, 11¾; Santos, No. 4, 12¾; mild, dull; Cordova, 13½@15c., nominal.

Butter, steady; factory current make seconds, 15@16.

Cheese—Steady.

Eggs—Barely steady; Southern, 17@23.

Potatoes—Weak. Bermuda, per barrel, 3.00@4.50; Florida, 1.50@4.00; old, 1.50@2.00.

Cabbages—Steady; Southern, crate, 1.00@1.25.

Freights—Unchanged.

Peanuts—Unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Steady to a shade higher on moderate buying for European account, higher crude markets, light pit offerings and local professional support. Futures closed 1@4 points net higher; May, 6.25@6.26; June, 6.30@6.35; July, 6.35@6.37; August, 6.40@6.42; September, 6.36@6.37; prime crude, 5.20@5.25; prime summer yellow, 6.25@6.40; prime winter yellow, 6.35@6.80; prime summer white, 6.30@6.80.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, April 27.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, steady, 73¼ cents.

ROSIN—Market, steady at $7.15.

TAR—Prime, $2.20.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market, firm; $5.00 per barrel, or hard; $7.00 for dip; virgin, $7.50.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, steady at 59¾; rosin, steady, at $3.75; tar, $2.00; crude turpentine, firm at $3.00, $4.50 and $3.75.

Spirits Turpentine	23
Rosin	136
Tar	8
Crude Turpentine	20

Receipts, same day last year, 3 casks spirits turpentine; 4 barrels rosin; 66 barrels tar; 2 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—386 bales; same day last year, 59 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, April 22nd.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish, $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; .68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Yams, 90 to $1.00 per bu.; Irish potatoes, 80@90 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .03@.04 per lb.

PORK—Net, .09@.10 per lb.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, .18@.20 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .07 per lb.; dry, .12 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 16c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, on foot, 18c per lb.; dressed, .20@.22 per lb. Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; Chickens, last spring, .20@.35 per head. Geese, .60 per head.

EGGS—Dull, 16c. per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, $2.00 to $2.50.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Farmers' Spanish — Market, weaker, $1.27½ asked; $1.25 bid. Shelled Spanish—No. 1, Spanish, shelled, 6¾c. to 7c. per lb.; No. 2, Spanish, shelled, 5¼c. to 5½c. per lb. Virginias—Quiet, bunch, 4c. per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3⅝c.; Prime, 3¼c.; Machine Picked, 3¼c. to 3½c.; Shelling stock, 2¼c. to 3c. per lb.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, April 27.—Turpentine, easy; Machine Barrels, 78.

Savannah, April 27.—Turpentine, firm, 74; sales, 1,119; receipts (two days), 1,444; shipments, 190; stocks, 6,827.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 1,840; receipts, 3,772; shipments, 745; stocks, 40,319. Quote: B, 7.45; D, 7.60; E, 7.70; F, 7.80; G, H, I, K, 7.85; M, N, W G, and W W, 7.90.

Charleston, April 27.—Turpentine, firm, at 74½@74¾.

Rosin—Firm. Quote: A, B, C, 7.55; D, 7.60; E, 7.72½@7.77½; F, 7.77½@7.85; G, H, 7.80@7.85; I, 7.82½@7.85; K, 7.82½; M, 7.82½; N, W G, 7.85; W W, 7.85@7.87½.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, April 27. — Money on call, steady, at 2¼@2½ per cent; ruling rate, 2⅜; closing bid, 2¼; offered at 2⅜; time loans, steady; sixty days, 2½ per cent; ninety days, 2½@2¾ per cent; six months, 3 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 3½@4 per cent; sterling exchange, easy, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.40 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.86.50 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83¾; bar silver, 51; Mexican dollars, 45.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, April 27.—The cotton goods market was steady, with a more general inquiry and small sales. An auction sale of 4,500 pieces of piece silks brought a large company of buyers together, but prices were very low. The goods offered were all disposed of. Cotton yarns are steady and raw silk quiet.

Bring along the children to the Grand today. **

STOCKS WERE GIVEN SETBACK

Effect of March Earnings of Harriman on the Markets—The Slow Advance Was Interrupted—Details.

New York, April 27.—The slow advance which had been in progress in the stock market most of the week was interrupted suddenly in the midst of today's session, when publication of the March earnings of the Harriman lines gave the list a pronounced setback. Southern Pacific reported a decrease of $487,000 in net earnings, and Union Pacific $346,000. This showing was regarded as especially unsatisfactory, in view of reports which the street had heard in the last few days that these roads would make unusually good exhibits.

Trading was less active than yesterday, the market growing dull on the decline. The morning's gains were eliminated in most cases and the close showed small loss on the day, in place of the correspondingly small advance of the previous days of the week.

Canadian Pacific, which attracted much attention early in the year by its spectacular advance, came to life again today and mounted to 2.27½, a new high price. Amalgamated Copper was heavy, probably on account of the selling of stocks purchased earlier in the week.

Trailing in United States Steel was less active, but that stock constituted the market's barometer, in that buying and selling of these shares were closely scrutinized by those who think the immediate future of the market is dependent upon conditions in the steel and iron industry. It was said today that the disposition of the gathering of the steel manufacturers yesterday was to maintain prices for the present.

Trading in the bond market exceeded in activity and strength that in stocks and sales were much above the recent average. Much of the buying was said to come from corporations and banking institutions which were seeking profitable employment for their idle funds.

Evidence of the confidence with which the outcome of Mexico's difficulties is awaited, was afforded today by the sale to any syndicate of $10,000,000 of two-year 4½ per cent. notes of the National Railways of Mexico. Bonds were firm. Total sales, par value, $3,737,000. United States government bonds were unchanged on call. Total sales, 257,600 shares.

THE CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	27½
Amalgamated Copper	62¾
American Agricultural	56⅝
American Beet Sugar	42
American Can	9⅞
American Car and Foundry	51¼
American Cotton Oil	53
American Hide and Leather, pfd	22
American Ice Securities	23½
American Linseed	10¼
American Locomotive	36
American Smelting and Refining	73½
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	104
American Steel Foundries	44¾
American Sugar Refining	118
American Tel and Tel	145¼
American Tobacco, pfd	97
American Woolen	34
Anaconda Mining Co	37½
Atchison	100⅛
Atchison, pfd	102¾
Atlantic Coast Line	122
Baltimore and Ohio	104⅜
Bethlehem Steel	31⅜
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	77⅞
Canadian Pacific	227⅜
Central Leather	26⅞
Central Leather, pfd	98⅜
Central of New Jersey	270
Chesapeake and Ohio	79¼
Chesapeake and Ohio	79¼
Chicago and Alton	24⅝
Chicago Great Western	20½
Chicago Great Western, pfd	42½
Chicago and North Western	143¾
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	119¼
C., C., C and St. Louis	57
Colorado Fuel and Iron	29
Colorado and Southern	51½
Consolidated Gas	143
Corn Products	13⅜
Delaware and Hudson	167
Denver and Rio Grande	29⅝
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	69¾
Distillers' Securities	33⅜
Erie	30
Erie, 1st pfd	49¾
Erie, 2nd pfd	37
General Electric	153¾
Great Northern, pfd	125½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	59¼
Illinois Central	137¼
Interborough-Met	18¾
Interborough-Met., pfd	51⅛
Inter Harvester	117⅝
Inter-Marine, pfd	16¼
International Paper	9⅛
International Pump	38¼
Iowa Central	15½
Kansas City Southern	32⅝
Kansas City Southern, pfd	66½
Laclede Gas	103
Louisville and Nashville	144½
Minneapolis and St. Louis	22
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	139⅛
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	32
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd	66¼
Missouri Pacific	48
National Biscuit	130
National Lead	51½
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	54
New York Central	106
New York, Ontario and Western	41
Norfolk and Western	106
North American	70¾
Northern Pacific	122½
Pacific Mail	24
Pennsylvania	124⅜
People's Gas	105
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	93¾
Pittsburg Coal	19¾
Pressed Steel Car	32
Pullman Palace Car	161
Railway Steel Spring	31¼
Reading	151¾
Republic Steel	31
Republic Steel, pfd	92¾
Rock Island Co	28¼
Rock Island Co., pfd	58
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	38⅜
St. Louis Southwestern	30
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	65⅜
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	48⅜
Southern Pacific	113¾
Southern Railway	26½
Southern Railway, pfd	63½
Tennessee Copper	35½
Texas and Pacific	25¾
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	18⅞
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	47⅝
Union Pacific	175
Union Pacific, pfd	94
United States Realty	71
United States Rubber	39½
United States Steel	73⅝
United States Steel, pfd	119½
Utah Copper	43¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	60
Wabash	16
Wabash, pfd	36½
Western Maryland	50½
Westinghouse Electric	67½
Western Union	73
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4½

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Quiet; Prices, Unchanged—Sales and Futures.

Liverpool, April 27.—Spot, quiet; prices, unchanged; American middling frin, 8.84; good middling, 8.52; middling, 8.30; low middling, 8.10; good ordinary, 7.84; ordinary, 7.59.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 7,300 American. Receipts, 4,000 American. Futures opened steady and closed irregular, April, 7.97; April and May, 7.91½; May and June, 7.88; June and July, 7.81; July and August, 7.75; August and September, 7.52½; September and October, 7.17; October and November, 7.00; November and December, 6.93½; December and January, 6.41½; January and February, 6.91½; February and March, 6.91½; March and April, 6.92.

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THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., April 28.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Thursday, April 27th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 59 degrees; at 8 P. M., 63 degrees; maximum, 70 degrees; minimum, 53 degrees; mean, 61 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; for the month, .70 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Thursday, 6.1.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Unsettled, probably showers in west Friday; Saturday, fair; moderate east to south winds.

Port Calendar—April 28.

Sun Rises	5:26 A. M.
Sun Sets	6:53 P. M.
Day's Length	13 hrs. 27 min.
High water at Southport	7:42 P. M.
High water at Wilmington	10:42 P. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

April 27, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	cloudy	76	50	.0
Asheville	cloudy	60	52	.02
Atlanta	cloudy	64	56	.0
Augusta	cloudy	72	58	.0
Birmingham	cloudy	64	56	.98
Boston	cloudy	80	48	.0
Charleston	cloudy	70	60	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	72	52	.0
Chicago	cloudy	70	52	.0
Galveston	clear	70	58	.0
Jacksonville	cloudy	74	66	.0
Memphis	cloudy	64	54	.30
Mobile	cloudy	70	60	.22
Montgomery	raining	66	58	.86
New Orleans	clear	82	66	.68
New York	cloudy	68	50	.0
Palestine	clear	68	52	.04
Oklahoma	clear	72	46	.0
Pittsburg	cloudy	74	52	.0
Raleigh	cloudy	74	50	.0
Savannah	cloudy	70	50	.0
Shreveport	cloudy	66	52	.36
St. Louis	raining	60	52	.54
Washington	cloudy	74	44	.0

Midnight in the Ozarks.

and yet sleepless Hiram Scranton, of Clay City, Ill., coughed and coughed. He was in the mountains on the advice of five doctors, who said he had consumption, but found no help in the climate, and started home. Hearing of Dr. King's New Discovery, he began to use it. "I believe it saved my life," he writes, "for it made a new man of me, so that I can now do good work again." For all lung diseases, coughs, colds, la grippe, asthma, croup, whooping cough, hay fever, hemorrhages, hoarseness or quinsy, its the best known remedy. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

ELECTION NOTICE:

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its 1911 Session, entitled "An Act to empower the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover county to issue bonds for road improvement and to construct bridges," and by virtue of the power therein given, do hereby call and give notice of an election to be held by the qualified voters of New Hanover county, on Wednesday, the 31st day of May, 1911, between the hours of sunrise and sunset, to determine whether New Hanover county, North Carolina, shall issue $50,000 of its bonds, with interest coupons attached, to continue and complete the repairing, construction and improving the public roads and bridges in said county.

At this election the ballots tendered and cast by the qualified electors shall have written or printed upon them "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County," or "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the county."

All qualified electors who favor the issue of said bonds shall vote "For continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the County," and all qualified electors who are opposed to the issue of said bonds shall vote "Against the continuing and completing the construction and improvement of the public roads and bridges of the county."

For the purpose of this election as authorized by the said Act, the said Board of Commissioners have ordered, and do hereby order, a new registration for said election, and the following are designated as the polling places in the several townships, precincts and wards, and the persons hereinafter named have been appointed as the Registrars and Judges of election in the said several townships, precincts and wards.

Cape Fear Township—Polling places, Blossom's Store, Castle Hayne; registrar, W. B. Hand; judges, W. H. Shearin and J. H. Johnson.

Harnett, First Division—Sneeden's Store, Delgado; H. C. Creech, registrar; W. A. Woods and E. C. Holt, judges.

Harnett, Second Division — Township House, polling place; J. A. Everett, registrar; Geo. R. Smith and Gerrit Walker, judges.

Masonboro township, Township House, polling place; F. A. Montgomery, registrar; D. D. George and Andrew Capps, judges.

Federal Point township, Carolina Beach, polling place; Hans A. Kure, registrar; Thos. J. Burnett and Melvin Horne, judges.

Wilmington—First ward, Precinct No. 1, Engine House, 4th and Campbell streets, polling place; Fred Moore, registrar; C. F. W. Rehder and F. P. Lamb, judges.

Wilmington—First ward, Precinct No. 2, Kerr's Store, 4th and Harnett streets; Isaiah West, registrar; Geo. H. Heyer and C. L. Spencer, judges.

Wilmington — Second ward, Woolvin Building, Princess street, polling place; C. H. Ward, registrar; T. W. Wood and F. S. Shepard, judges.

Wilmington — Third ward, Giblem Lodge, 8th and Princess streets, polling place; H. B. Hines, registrar; L. B. Sasser and Russell Bellamy, judges.

Fourth Ward—W. P. Oldham's Store, Dock between Front and 2nd streets, polling place; M. Cronly, registrar; W. D. McMillan, Jr., and T. G. Pickett, judges.

Fifth Ward, Precinct No. 1, Engine House, 6th and Castle streets, polling place; Jno. W. Gafford, registrar; J. E. Taylor and Henry Gerdes, judges.

Fifth ward, Precinct No. 2, Market House, 5th and Castle streets, polling place; R. A. Burnett, registrar; J. O. Brock and T. B. Willard, judges.

The Registration Books of each Township, precinct and ward will be kept open for the registration of electors for twenty days preceding the day for closing the registration books as hereinafter provided, Sundays excepted, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M. and sunset on each day, beginning the 27th day of April, 1911; and said books shall be closed for registration at sunset on the second Saturday before the election, to-wit: On the 20th day of May, 1911, and on Saturday, the 27th day of April, 1911, and on the 6th day of May, 1911, and on the 13th day of May, 1911, and on the 20th day of May, the Saturdays thereafter, the registrars shall attend with their registration books at the polling places of their respective Townships, precincts and wards, for the registration of electors.

The registrars will attend the polling places of their respective Townships, precincts and wards with the registration books, on the Saturday preceding the election, to-wit, the 27th day of May, 1911, from the hour of 9 o'clock A. M., till the hour of 3 o'clock P. M., when and where the said books will be open for the inspection of the electors of said Townships, precincts and wards, and any of the said electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said books.

This, the 24th day of April, 1911, by order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

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Chairman.

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JOHN HAAR,
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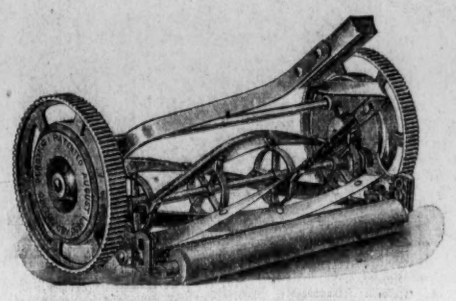

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be found by actual practice that there is an injured, and a permanent injury to the farmers, of this country, everybody knows that they can sufficiently control legislation to bring about a change and a return to the old conditions. Those of us who are responsible for the Canadian treaty are willing and anxious to subject it to that kind of a test," said the President.

"Another, and very conclusive, reason, for closing the contract," continued Mr. Taft, "is the opportunity which it gives us to increase the supply of our natural resources which with the wastefulness of children we have wantonly exhausted."

The President declared that another reason that should lead to the adoption of this agreement was that Canada offered a constantly increasing market, and an ever increasing trade.

"As between Canada and the United State, the trade and the mutual benefit from the trade will increase.

The Annexation Myth.

"It is amusing, and I am not sure that it has not some elements of consolation in it to find that all the buncombe and all of the exaggeration and misrepresentation in politics and all of the political ghosts are not confined to our own country, and that there has entered into the discussion in Canada, as a reason for defeating the adoption of this contract by the Canadian parliament a feature that we desire to annex the Dominion; and the dreams of Americans with irresponsible imiginations who like to talk of the starry flags floating from Panama to the pole, are exhibited by the opponents of the Canadian treaty in Canada as the declaration of a real policy by this country, and as an announcement of our purpose to push political control over our neighbor of the North.

"I am not an anti-imperialist, but I have had considerable experience in the countries over which we have assumed temporary control. I do not know when that control will end, but I do know that, in respect to those countries, we have taken over heavy duties and obligations; the weight of which ought to destroy any temptation to further acquisition of territory.

"The talk of annexation is bosh! Every one who knows anything about it realizes that it is bosh. Canada is a great, strong, youth, anxious to test his muscles, rejoicing in the race he is ready to run. The United States has all it can attend to with the territory it is now governing, and to make the possibility of the annexation of Canada to the United States a basis for objection to any steps toward their greater economic and commercial union should be treated as one of the jokes of the platform and should not enter into the consideration of serious men engaged in solving a serious problem. Canadians have furnished us a large number of our best citizens. We are giving them a large number of the pick of our young farmers. Let us open the gateways between us. Let us give to both countries the profit of the trade that God intended between us. Let the political governments remain as they are. Let us abolish arbitrary and artificial obstructions to our association with our friends upon the north and derive the mutual profit that it will certainly bring.

"I desire to express my high appreciation of the manner in which the present House of Representatives has treated the reciprocity agreement. It has not 'played politics.' It has taken the statesmanlike course to adopt it.

"I am very hopeful that the Senate will treat the agreement in the same way and that no amendments will there be added to the bill. For the reasons given, I think they are dangerous.

An Appeal to the Press.

"I appeal to this company, representing as it does the press of the United States, to see to it that it is made clear to the public that this contract ought to stand or fall by its own terms, and that its passage or defeat ought not to be affected in any regard by other amendments to the tariff law. To amend this Canadian contract and to make its passage the pendant on other tariff legislation is to continue the old method of tariff revision characterized, not without reason, as a local issue.

"I have said that this was a critical time in the solution of the question of reciprocity. It is critical because unless it is now decided favorably to reciprocity, it is exceedingly probable that no such opportunity will ever again come to the United States. The forces which are at work in England and in Canada to separate her by a Chinese wall from the United States and to make her part of an imperial commercial band reaching from England around the world to England again, by a system of preferential tariffs, will derive an impetus from the rejection of this treaty, and if we would have reciprocity with all the advantages that I have described and that I earnestly and sincerely believe will follow its action we must take it now or give it up forever."

FACTS ABOUT THE "CORNER."

Resolution in House Requesting Same for Congress.

Washington, April 27.—A resolution calling upon the Attorney General to give Congress all the facts in his possession relating to an investigation of an alleged violation of the Sherman anti-trust law by Frank B. Hayne, William P. Brown, James A. Patten and Eugene Scales in the formation of a combination to advance the price of cotton, was re-introduced today by Representative Blackman, of Alabama.

Representative Blackman also reintroduced resolutions directing the Attorney General to institute an investigation into an alleged conspiracy on the part of the persons not named to reduce the price of cotton between August, 1909 and June, 1910, and an investigation of the so-called corner in wheat from May to July, 1910. The resolutions were referred to the Judiciary Committee.

HOUSE IN FAVOR OF NEW MEMBERS

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the army and navy, and that they have frozen out competitors that I know of, who lost out, and today are bankrupt owing to the fact that this firm of Hermann & Company have used their influence with the government representatives of the United States or those in control of the government of the United States have used their influence to freeze out competitors and have placed them on the black list, so to speak, and have even gone so far as to give money so that other firms may not be competitors after freezing them out."

Mr. Gardner declared that the statement was an impeachment of the government authorities and today introduced his resolution, which were referred to the Committee on Military and Naval Affairs.

STATE S. S. CONVENTION.

Striking Addresses by Marion Lawrence Yesterday—Features.

(Special Star Telegram.)

High Point, N. C., April 27.—The arrival of Marion Lawrence at the morning session added much interest to the State Sunday School Convention here today. When introduced he smiling remarked: "One thing about the convention I do not like—the badges, and I would not wear one." The badges carry Mr. Lawrence's face on the buttons. He expressed pleasure at being at this convention again in High Point where he attended a convention ten years ago. He said good is to come from the convention not from any man but from the association of work a a blessing of Jesus Christ. The elder brother of the convention gave hearty applause and the Chatauqua saluted. Reports of departments of Home Department work organized adult class visitation. Reports of elementary and a teacher training work were not submitted, the superintendents not being present.

The report of the general secretary showed a mark advance in the State the past year. He traveled extensively and spoke at many conventions. The report recommended a teacher training class in every Sunday school and a budget of $5,000 for work next year. J. Van Carter, general secretary, commended highly the work of the office of secretary, Miss Maude Reid, saying the association owes more to her than was realized on account of her faithful and efficient work. The treasurer's report showed over $4,000 contributed to the work last year. Expended all but $214 which is the balance on hand. Report of the statistician showed 11 denominations identified with the State association, many county and township conventions held. N. B. Broughton submitted his report as chairman of the Executive Committee of the State association, encouraging fact being given, especially that showing increased activity of all denominations in Sunday school work in the State association. Mr. Broughton has held the office of chairman 16 years and asked to be relieved, assuring the convention that his interest is not decreased. No action was taken and the resignation was referred to the Nomination Committee. Roll call of counties was conducted by the general secretary. Brief reports of county officers were heard and the session closed with a devotional hour.

John T. Pullen, of Raleigh, conducted the devotional exercises and an address by Marion Lawrence, subject, "The Sunday School A Mission," was the leading feature of the afternoon session. The speaker urged the importance of mission work in the whole church and emphasized the need of information on a more liberal giving. Department conferences were held after the address with a Sunday school parade following these. The speakers at the evening session were Revs. L. E. Smith, Greensboro; B. W. Spillman, Kinston; Marion Lawrence, on "Sunday School Problems." Mr. Lawrence will address three sessions of the convention tomorrow and adjournment will be in the evening.

REUNION OF PEARSALLS.

Jeweler in Salt Lake City Writes of This Interesting Family.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C., April 27.—Editor Star:—I am sending you for publication an interesting letter from far away Salt Lake City, that will explain the origin and design now being made for the U. S. Battleship Utah. One of our numerous cousins, Clifford R. Pearsall, a jeweler, purposes a gathering of the "Clan Pearsall" at some point South. The choice of location will be left with us, sometime during the month of July. There will come a numerous retinue of Pearsalls and descendants. We are casting our eyes around and have Wilmington, Greensboro, Asheville or Waynesville, N. C., in view. The city that makes the best offer "gets the whole cheese." There will be Pearsalls and their descendants, from Texas, Utah, Wisconsin, New York, Mississippi, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Georgia, South Carolina and Florida, and loads of them from Duplin, Sampson, Onslow, Pender, Wayne, Cumberland, Harnett and Forsythe counties. So far back as 1067, A. D., none of them have been hung or placed in the penitentiary, a pretty fair record with no black sheep showing up down the line to date. ED. D. PEARSALL.

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"Four doctors had given me up," writes Mrs. Laura Gaines, of Avoca, La., "and my children and all my friends were looking for me to die, when my son insisted that I use Electric Bitters. I did so, and they have done me a world of good. I will always praise them." Electric Bitters is a priceless blessing to women troubled with fainting and dizzy spells, backache, headache, weakness, debility, constipation or kidney disorders. Use them and gain new health, strength and vigor. They're guaranteed to satisfy or money refunded. Only 50c at R. R. Bellamy's.

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ranza, provisional governor of Coasuila, now at San Antonio, Texas, and will obtain his ideas on peace conditions for presentation to Madero.

Extension of Armistice.

El Paso, Texas, April 27.—Francisco I. Madero today agreed to an extension of the armistice for another five days while peace is discussed. Mexico City has already agreed to the extension. The same provisions as agred upon last Sunday will remain in force.

Chihuahua, via Laredo, April 27.—News of the message to the military authorities suspending hostilities spread rapidly in all parts of Chihuahua. If not in reality, at least in effect, a flag of truce waved temporarily in most of the insurrecto camps in the interior today.

Every effort was made to have the news spread among the insurrecto chiefs that a suspension of hositilities had been agreed upon.

FRENCH TROOPS INTERVENE.

Ordered Into Morocco to Re-Establish Order at Fez.

Paris, April 27.—France today notified the signatories to the Algeciras Conference agreement that prompt and energetic intervention in Morocco by France had become necessary to protect foreigners at Fez, re-establish order throughout the country and safeguard the sovereignty of the Sultan.

The French cabinet has considered carefully, during the fortnight past, the possibility of intervention in Morocco within those districts previously outside the international police sphere.

The military plans of the War Department were approved by the government last week and fresh troops have embarked daily for Morocco since last Sunday, the official announcement being made that something more than 10,000 troops would be despatched to replace the men in the coast garrisons, which were weakened to form two expeditionary columns.

When affairs became disturbed in Morocco the government began an active interchange of views with Great Britain and Spain which has just resulted in identical notes being sent by the two police powers, France and Spain, to the other signatories to the Algeciras agreement, including the United States.

It is understood unofficially that the British government gave in advance their full and sympathetic support of French intervention. The Spanish government does not appear to have sent reinforcements to Morocco.

The Spanish press generally urges the government to proceed with the utmost caution. Premier Canalejas and his associates in the Spanish ministry, find themselves in a difficult position. The army is not disposed to go to Morrocco and public opinion is opposed to the cost of money and lives without seeing definite advantages to be gained. It is understood unofficially that the French government considers that its action is in the interest of all the powers, all will approve, including Germany.

Nevertheless, the comment in some of the German newspapers reprinted here, disturbs some Frenchmen. However, the supporters of the government policy recall that the French and German Moroccan agreement of 1909 gives Germany what is interpreted in France to be predominant commercial interests in Morocco, while France retains a predominant political possession there.

Washington, April 27.—The United States has been informally advised of France's intention to intervene energetically in Morocco. The notification was received without comment because America is not concerned in the political situation in Morocco. While this country was a signatory to the Algeciras convention, it is pointed out, it was with the reservation that the interests of the United States lay in the extension of American commerce and the protection of American lives and property.

CHURCH CONGRESS SESSION.

Necessity for Comity in Christian Mission Say Speakers.

Washington, April 27.—There is necessity for comity in Christian missions, according to the speakers at tonight's session of the 29th Church Congress in the United States..

Rt. Rev. Joseph M. Francis, bishop of Indianapolis; Revs. H. Symonds, rector of Christ Church Cathedral of Montreal; Theodore Sedgewick, rector of Calvary Church of New York, and Dr. Reese F. Alsop, rector emeritus of St. Anns church, of Brooklyn, N. Y., spoke on the subject.

Revs. Charles Henry Babcock and G. A. Carstensen, both of New York, have been re-elected chairman and general secretary respectively; Thomas Whitaker, of New York, treasurer, and as vice president, Bishops Murray, of Maryland; Kinsman, of Delaware, and Perry, of Rhode Island.

Justice Lurton, of the United States Supreme court, and Seth Low, of New York, were elected as laymen to serve on the central committee. The place and time for the next Congress was referred to the executive committee.

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J. Hicks Bunting—For Rent.
American National Bank—Small Accounts.
C. W. Yates & Co.—Sedgeley Abbey Lawn.
Gibbes Machinery Co.—Your Chance for a Bargain.

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Wanted—Route Boys.
A. D. Wessell—For Rent.
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THE HOE LIBRARY SALE.

Copy of First Edition of Gray's Elegy Sold for $4,500.

New York, April 27.—A first edition of Thomas Grey's Eleby "wrote in a country church yard," which sold in Paternoster Row in London for six pence in 1751, brought $4,500 at tonight's session of the Hoe Library auction sale. It was the top notch price of the day and was paid by a New York dealer. By way of contrast, a book nearly 300 years older, the first principles of Euclid, having the first continuous series of geometric illustrations ever printed, went under the hammer for only $4.50.

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